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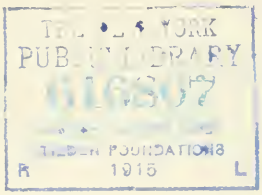

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PREFATORY NOTE

The John Jordan Crittenden papers, of which this is a Calendar, consist of letters written to Crittenden, some law papers, principally relating to land-title suits, and a few copies of his own letters and speeches preserved by him and retained by his descendants. The papers were acquired by the Library in April, 1905, from Mrs. Robert H. Crittenden, of Frankfort, Ky.

The depositions in lawsuits are of value for early Kentucky history. The letters from prominent politicians and statesmen, during Crittenden's long career in the public service, are replete with comments on national questions and estimates of the public men of the time. The letters of George M. Bibb, Henry Clay, Joseph H. Hawkins, Francis P. Blair, and Anthony Butler are the most important of the earliest correspondence; and the chief ones for the later period are from James Barbour, William S. Archer, Samuel Smith Nicholas, Humphrey Marshall, Orlando Brown, Robert Perkins Letcher, Alexander Porter, Benjamin Watkins Leigh, Zachary Taylor, Reverdy Johnson, Leslie Combs, Winfield Scott, James Middleton Clayton, Abbott Lawrence, Robert Toombs, Thomas Ewing, Thomas Corwin, Alexander H. Stephens, Robert Charles Winthrop, Amos Adams Lawrence, and James Rogers Underwood.

During the period of his attempted compromise, immediately before the Civil War, the correspondence is extensive.

The preliminary work on the Calendar was done by Mr. Wilmer R. Leech, while an assistant in the Manuscripts Division, but now of the State Historian's office, New York; it was completed by Mr. C. N. Feamster, of the Manuscripts Division.

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CHRONOLOGY OF JOHN JORDON CRITTENDEN 1787–1863

1787. September 10, born in Virginia in what is now Woodford County, Kentucky.
1804. Student at Washington Academy, Virginia, now Washington and Lee University.
1805. Student at College of William and Mary, Virginia.
1807. After having been a law student under George M. Bibb begins practice of law in Woodford County, Kentucky.
1809. Attorney General of Illinois Territory.
1811–1813. Member Kentucky State Legislature from Logan County.
1811. Married to Sallie O. Lee, daughter of Major John Lee.
1813. In active service as major and aide-de-camp on the staff of Governor Isaac Shelby.
1815–1817. Member and Speaker of Kentucky State Legislature.
1817–1819. United States Senator; resigned March 3, 1819.
1820. Commissioner for establishing boundary line between Kentucky and Tennessee.
1824. September, Mrs. Crittenden died.
1825. Presidential elector.
1825–1826. Member Kentucky State Legislature from Franklin County.
1826. November 15, married to Mrs. Maria K. Todd, daughter of Judge Harry Innes.
1827–1829. United States district attorney.
1828. Nominated for Justice, Supreme Court of United States; not confirmed.
1829–1833. Member and Speaker of Kentucky State Legislature.
1834. Secretary of State of Kentucky.
1835–1841. United States Senator; resigned March 3, 1841.
1841. Attorney General of the United States; resigned September 13, 1841.
1842–1848. United States Senator; resigned June 22, 1848.
1848–1850. Governor of Kentucky; resigned July 31, 1850.
1850–1853. Attorney General of the United States.
1851. September, Mrs. Crittenden died.
1853. February 27, married Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, daughter of Doctor James W. Moss, and widow of General William H. Ashley.
1855–1861. United States Senator.
1861. President "Border States Convention."
1861–1863. Member United States House of Representatives.
1863. July 26, died near Frankfort, Kentucky.

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1795 June 12 **Ingersoll,** J[ared]. [Philadelphia.] To William Rawle [Philadelphia]. Opinion on Col. [Charles] Simms' claim to Montours Island. A. L. S. 2 p.

1796 Feb. 6 **Shelby,** Isaac. Frankfort, Kentucky. Land grant to John, Fielding, and George Lewis, executors of Fielding Lewis. Printed form filled in. Copy. 1 p.

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1798 JULY 24 **Mercer,** H[ugh] T. W. Fredricksburg, [Virginia]. To Major [John Lee]. Recent journey from Kentucky to Fredricksburg; reception to [Thomas] Jefferson on his return from Congress; probable war with France; suit with Kennedy. A. L. S. 4 p.

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1799 MAY 2 **Mercer,** Hugh [T. W.] Fredericksburg, [Virginia]. To Major [John Lee]. Suit with Kennedy; sale of his lands; recent election and its effect on the Democratic party; misfortune of G[eorge] Lewis; sale of land to Gen. Thomas Posey. A. L. S. 4 p.

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1800 **Treaty** between the United States and France. Extracts from comments on same made by [William Vans] Murray to [James] Madison on June 23, 1801, and by [Charles Maurice de] Talleyrand [-Perigord] to [Thomas Jean ?] Pichon on Aug. 4, 1801. Copy. 1 p.

1804 OCT. 12 **Wilson,** Samuel. Logan County, Kentucky. Certificate of survey of land for Benjamin Sawyer. D. S. 1 p.

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1808 Apr. 27 **Morgan,** Willis. Affidavit relative to purchase of land from Joseph Ficklin. D. S. 1 p.

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1810 Sept. 27 **Gordon,** John, and George P. Brown. Receipt to Daniel Barry. D. S. 1 p.

1810 Nov. 3 **Kincheloe,** Lewis. Lewisburg [Kentucky?] Order on Joshua Beard for money favor of David Thomas; protested; assigned to John Cain. Copy. 1 p.

1811 Feb. 7 **Locker,** George L. To Benjamin Temple. Russellville, Kentucky. Dullness of trade; effect of the non-intercourse [Act against Great Britain] on cotton; sale of a slave; statement of their account. A. L. S. 3 p.

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1811 Dec. 31 — **Butler,** A[nthony]. Russellville, Kentucky. To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Crittenden's growing reputation; division of Kentucky into congressional districts; prefers a seat in the House of Representatives to one in the Senate; personals; estimate of population of the different congressional districts in Kentucky. A. L. S. 6 p.

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1812 Mar. 2 — **Ficklin,** Joseph. Assignment to Crittenden of five shares in Logan Vinyard Society. A. D. S. 1 p.

1812 May 21 — **Bibb,** George M. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden, [Russellville, Kentucky]. Republican caucus recommended [James] Madison and [John] Langden for President and Vice President, respectively; declaration of war against G[reat] B[ritain]. to be proposed in the House of Representatives. A. L. S. 2 p.

1812 May 28 — **Clay,** H[enry]. Wash[ington, D. C.] To Crittenden, Russellville, Kentucky. Sends Jordan's letter; despatches from France; course of the government against England and France. A. L. S. 1 p.

1812 Aug. 12 — **Morehead,** Armd. Logan County, Kentucky. Certificate that Crittenden deposited certain notes in the post office directed to John M. Reed, Brownsville, Pennsylvania; list of notes on reverse. A. D. S. 2 p.

[1812?] **Marshall,** John J. Bill in chancery against Rawleigh Colston and others; claims prior title to land. Copy. 4 p.

1813 Jan. 3 **Bibb,** George M. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Praise for troops; causes of failure of past campaign; praises James Monroe; criticises President Madison and Cabinet; British endeavouring to excite emperor of Hayti to invade Southern States; expects a Republican majority in Congress; Federal opposition to raising an army; proposed terms to G[reat] B[ritain]; advises election of [Anthony] Butler to Senate. A. L. S. 5 p.

1813 Feb. 20 **Bibb,** George M. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden, Russellville, Kentucky. Advises him not to enter the army at present; capture of the *Java* by the *Constitution;* prize taken by the *Hornet.* A. L. S. 3 p.

1813 Apr. 16 **Tompkins,** Christopher. Barren County, Kentucky. To Crittenden, Russellville, Kentucky. Real estate matters; rumor of Crittenden entering the Army. A. L. S. 4 p.

1813 July 23 **Robinson,** Benjamin, Estate. Decree of court in Sussex County, Delaware. James Hazzard Administrator, *vs* Thomas Carlisle. Copy. 10 p.

[1813?] [July?] **Robinson,** [Benjamin], heirs. Suit entered against James Carlisle. Copy. 3 p.

1813 Aug. 6 **Hawkins,** J[oseph] H. Camp Meigs, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Detailed account of the siege of Fort Meigs; army life. A. L. S. 12 p.

1813 Sept. 10 **Swan,** James. Dorchester, Massachusetts. Deed to Daniel Weiseger and John Bacon, Franklin County, Kentucky. Copy. 4 p.

1813 Sept. 13 **Shepherd,** Adam. Affidavit relative to power of attorney from his father, Peter Shepherd, to him. 2 p.

1813 Sept. 18 **Jefferson,** Thomas. Monticello, Virginia. To [Harry] Innes, Frankfort, Kentucky. Describes breed of shepherd dogs he brought from France and hopes he can furnish Judge [Thomas] Todd a pair. Copy. 2 p.

1814 Jan. 22 **Tompkins,** Christopher. Barren County, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Financial matters; hopes Crittenden will practice in Christian [County, Kentucky] courts. A. L. S. 2 p.

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1814 FEB. 11 **Adams,** George. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Claim of Loudon against Caldwell; undecided to run for the next Legislature; some wealth necessary for honors and office; fatal epidemic. A. L. S. 3 p.

1814 FEB. 12 **Butler,** A[nthony]. Detroit, [Michigan]. To Crittenden. Ill health; commander in chief of the territory; condition of the fort; movements of British and Indians; to surrender is out of the question; every man will die first; prospects and hopes of victory and fame. A. L. S. 6 p.

[1814] MAR. 13 **Butler,** A[nthony]. Detroit, [Michigan]. To Crittenden. Engagement in detail and great victory over the British; praise of men. A. L. S. 5 p.

1814 APR. 8 **Shelby,** Isaac. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Officers already appointed for corps of riflemen; mission to Gottenburgh; half-hearted interest in the war; repeal of embargo and nonimportation acts [against Great Britain]. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden. Phila. 1871. I, p. 31.

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1814 APR. 19 **Tilford,** John. Logan County, Kentucky. Bond for title to land sold to James Tilford. D. S. 1 p.

1814 APR. 21 **Hawkins,** J[oseph] H. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Hawkins' vote against the repeal of the restrictive system [embargo and nonintercourse acts against Great Britain]; politics a bed of thorns and a sea of troubles. A. L. S. 3 p.

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1814 Sept. 20 **Barry**, W[illiam] T[aylor]. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Barry and others as candidates for the Legislature; affairs at Washington; resignation of [George M.] Bibb [from U. S. Senate]. A. L. S. 3 p.

1814 Sept. 27 **Hawkins**, J[oseph] H. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Victories at Baltimore, Plattsburg, and on Lake Champlain relieve the disgraceful surrender [of Washington, D. C.]; Crittenden's age and the Senate; British movements. A. L. S. 2 p.

1814 Dec. 12 **Curd**, Spencer. Logan County, Kentucky. Execution against George Bell and Crittenden in favor of Morton Maulding. Printed form filled in D. S. 1 p.

[1814?] **Anderson**, R[obert] C[lough]. To Crittenden. Youth alone debarred Crittenden from U. S. Senate; offers aid to Crittenden for U. S. Senate in next legislature. A. L. S. 2 p.

1815 Jan. 16 **Maulding**, West. Assignment of interest in execution against George Bell and Crittenden to Samuel Gray. D. S. 1 p.

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1815 Feb. 5 **Pendleton**, John T. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Reuben Anderson, executor of estate of Edmond Bacon, Franklin County [Kentucky]. Notice of protest of note endorsed by Bacon. Printed form filled in. D. S. 1 p.

1815 Apr. 12 **Dallas** A[lexander] J. Washington [D. C.] To Major General [Andrew] Jackson, New Orleans. Notification that peace has been declared with [Great Britain]; Jackson's great services to his country; reports of Jackson's ill treatment of Louisiana judges and citizens sent to President, and Jackson's report on same requested. Copy. 2 p.

1815 Aug. 5 **Pendleton**, John T. Frankford, Kentucky. To Reuben Anderson, executor of estate of Edmond Bacon, Franklin County [Kentucky]. Notice of protest of note endorsed by Anderson. Printed form filled in. D. S. 1 p.

1815 Nov. 6 **Pendleton Academy**. Trustees. Order that bonds due said institution be put into hands of Crittenden for collection. Copy. 1 p.

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1817 SEPT. 8 **Perkins,** Benj[amin]. Receipt to Crittenden. D. S. 1 p.

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1817 **Greenup,** Christo[pher]. Frankfort, Kentucky. Will. A. D. S. 6 p.

1818 JAN. 20 **Speed,** Thomas. Washington, D. C. To John H. Todd. Description of certain members of the House of Representatives; bill to pension Revolutionary officers; internal improvement; Spanish affairs. Copy. 3 p.

1818 JAN. 20 **Speed,** Thomas. Washington, D. C. To John H. Todd. Pension for Revolutionary soldiers; court-martial of Commodore [Oliver Hazard] Perry and Captain [John] Heath [Marine Corps]. Copy. 1 p.

1818 FEB. 4 **Todd,** John H. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To [Thomas Speed]. Ability of U. S. Representatives [John] Holmes and [William] Lowndes; oratorical powers of [John J.] Crittenden; bills in [Kentucky] legislature, namely: new election of Governor (defeated), establishment of 40 banks (passed), tax on Kentucky branches of U. S. Banks (passed); criticisms in each case. Copy. 4 p.

1818 MAR. 4 **Sproule,** Charles. Frankfort, Kentucky. Deed to land in Frankfort, Kentucky, to Joseph Scott, Frankfort, Kentucky. Printed form filled in. D. S. 2 p.

1818 MAR. 23 **Pindell,** Thomas H. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To John Bibb. Order on Bibb for money in favor of Levin L. Shreve. A. L. S. 1 p. Memoranda of Crittenden on reverse.

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1818 July 28 — **Clay,** Henry. Frankfort [Kentucky]. To Jacob Castleman, John H. Hanna, and John H. Todd. Accepts an invitation to a dinner in conjunction with colleague [Richard Mentor Johnson]. Copy. 1 p.

1818 July 28 — **Johnson,** Richard M[entor]. Blue Lick Springs [Kentucky]. To [Jacob Castleman, John H. Hanna, and John H. Todd. Is unable to accept invitation to a dinner in company with Henry Clay. Copy. 1 p.

1818 Aug. 12 — **Poulk,** Elizabeth. Order on Crittenden to deliver to William Gist amount of her pension and the certificate. D. S. "her mark." 1 p.

1818 Sept. 9 — **Rector,** William. St. Louis, Missouri. To Crittenden. Acknowledges receipt of money delivered by Samuel Hadley. A. L. S. 1 p.

1818 Sept. 11 — **Smith,** George and Elizabeth. Franklin County, Kentucky. Deed to land in Franklin County, Kentucky, to Thomas L. Bryan. Copy. 3 p.

1818 Nov. 7 — **Lewis,** George. K[ing] G[eorge] County, V[irgini]a. Power of attorney to John S. Chapman to sue for, and dispose of, land and build warehouse. A. D. S. 3 p.

1818 Oct. — **Marshall,** John J. Suit against Rawleigh Colston et al. Order for survey. Copy. 1 p.

[1818?] — **C[rittenden],** J[ohn] J[ordan]. List of sons and heirs of Fielding Lewis. A. D. S. 1 p.

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1819 Mar. 3 — **West,** William. Lexington [Kentucky]. To John Lewis, Russellville, Kentucky. Judgment against Lewis favor of William O. Bledsoe; power of attorney to William R. West to receive money from Lewis; memorandum; receipt. A. L. S. 2 p.

1819 June 5 **Johnson,** Richard M. Great Crossing [Kentucky]. Order on Richard Smith to pay money to J. F. Ballinger; four endorsements; protested. A. D. S. 3 p.

1819 June 8 **Sebree & Johnson.** Great Crossing, [Kentucky]. Order on Colonel Joseph Eve to pay money to Richard M. Johnson; three endorsements; protested. A. D. S. 5 p.

1819 July 10 **Breckinridge,** J. Cabell. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To [John H.] Todd. Desires office of U. S. District Attorney for Kentucky and requests letter of commendation from Judge [Thomas] Todd to President [Monroe]. Copy. 1 p.

1819 July 28 **Tilford,** James. Cumberland. To Crittenden. His equitable title to land in possession of Myers; desires suit be brought for possession. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1819?] [July ?] **C[rittenden],** J[ohn] J[ordan]. To Gabriel Slaughter, Frankfort, Kentucky. Memoranda on suit for James Tilford. A. L. S. 2 p.

1819 July **Read,** A. F. Account against Crittenden. A. D. S. 1 p.

1819 Aug. 17 **Breathitt,** C. & Co. Russellville, [Kentucky]. Account against Crittenden. Receipt on reverse. D. S. 2 p.

1819 Aug. 27 **Crittenden,** John J[ordan]. Order on Presley N. Obannon to pay Augustine Byrne & Co. money. Statement of his account with Obannon and receipt by Byrne & Co. on reverse. A. D. S. 2 p.

1819 Aug. 29 **Mosley,** James. Receipt to Crittenden for money. A. D. S. 1 p.

1819 Sept. 2 **Connolly,** John. L'Assomption, Canada. Deed to land in Kentucky to Alexander Mabbut, of L'Assomption, Canada. D. S. 4 p.

1819 Sept. 2 **Mabbut,** Alexander. L'Assomption, Canada. Agreement with John Connolly, L'Assomption, Canada, relative to proceeds of land deeded to Mabbut; trust deed to Mabbut by Connolly for land in Canada. Copy. 5 p.

1819 Oct. 18 **Marshall,** John J. Suit for land against Rawleigh Colston, order for survey, survey, plot and account. 3 p.

1819 Oct. **Sneed,** Achilles. Account against Presley Edwards and Crittenden. Receipt on reverse. A. D. S. 2 p.

1819 Nov. 6 — **Bibb**, Richard, Jr. Russellville [Kentucky]. To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Need of Thompsons going to Russellville; contest with Samuel Vance about Morehead's negroes; removal of Jacob W. Walker to Illinois. A. L. S. 3 p.

1819 Nov. 15 — **Crittenden**, John J[ordan]. To Gab[riel] Lewis, Russellville, Kentucky. Judgment of William O. Bledsoe [against John Lewis]. A. L. S. 3 p.

1819 Nov. 28 — **Lewis**, Gab[riel]. Russellville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Judgment of [William O.] Bledsoe against J[ohn] Lewis and William West's interest in same. A. L. S. 2 p.

1819 Dec. 17 — **Hardin**, Martin D. Promissory note in favor of Bacon, Samuels & Co.; protest. D. S. 2 p.

1819 Dec. 20 — **Kendall & Russells.** Receipted bill to Crittenden for two years' subscription to the "Argus of Western America." Printed form filled in. D. S. 1 p.

1820 Jan. 1 — **Dunlap**, Nancy, and George **Baltzell.** In consideration of hire of negro woman from Elizabeth Lee, agree to pay certain sum and clothe, and maintain negro woman's three children. D. S. 1 p.

1820 Jan. 1 — **Kentucky**, General Assembly. An act authorizing the appointment of two commissioners to settle the boundary dispute with Tennessee commissioners. Copy. 3 p.

1820 Jan. 3 — **Connolly**, John. L'Assomption, Canada. Deed to Alexander Mabbut, L'Assomption, Canada, to lands under condition Mabbut take care of Connolly for life. Copy. 6 p.

1820 Jan. 3 — **McBeath**, Margaret. L'Assomption, Canada. Conveyance to Alexander Mabbut of her pension and personal property upon consideration that Mabbut support her for life. Copy. 4 p.

1820 Jan. 5 — **Buford**, John. Versailles, Kentucky. Order on John L. Buck & Co., Natchez, [Mississippi], to pay money to Miller, Kinsey and Cooper; four endorsements; protest. A. D. S. 4 p.

1820 Jan. 24 — **Grundy**, Felix, and Will L. **Brown.** [Nashville? Tennessee]. Memorial to Congress as Tennessee Boundary Commissioners for laws to enable the U. S. Supreme Court to adjudicate boundary with Kentucky. D. S. 2 p.

1820 Jan. 24 **Grundy,** Felix, and Will L. **Brown.** [Nashville? Tennessee]. To Gabriel Slaughter, Lieutenant Governor of Kentucky. As Tennessee Boundary Commissioners they withdraw their proposition for a compromise, and wish to submit the question to the U. S. Supreme Court. L. S. 4 p.

1820 Jan. 29 **Clay,** H[enry]. Washington, [D. C.]. To Crittenden. Kentucky-Tennessee boundary question; negotiations with Spain; proposes recognition of Patriots and seizure of Texas, and Florida is ours without an effort; Missouri subject; [Kentucky] paper money, and its depreciation. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871. I, 39.

[1820] [Jan.] [**Crittenden,** John Jordan]. To the Kentucky Legislature. Detailed report as a commissioner on the boundary question between Kentucky and Tennessee, giving history and argument. A. L. 20 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871. I, 48.

[1820] [Jan.] [**Crittenden,** John Jordan.] Draft of some of the Articles and substitute articles in Kentucky-Tennessee Boundary agreement. A. D. 3 p.

[1820] [Jan.] [**Grundy,** Felix.] Draft of some of the articles in Kentucky-Tennessee Boundary Agreement. A. D. 3 p.

[1820] [Jan.] [**Crittenden,** John Jordan.] Draft of some of the articles in Kentucky-Tennessee Boundary agreement. A. D. 2 p.

1820 Feb. 19 **Ashhurst,** Richard. Pennsylvania. Petition in suit for money against Thomas E. Boswell and Bushrod Boswell, Kentucky. D. S. by Crittenden, [attorney] for plaintiff. Subpoena, and Bond. 6 p.

1820 Feb. 21 **Grundy,** Felix. Murfreesboro [Tennessee]. To George M. Bibb and Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Requests that they and other public men assure the people of the high character of Alexander, Munsell, Steel, and Fox, who surveyed Kentucky-Tennessee Boundary line. A. L. S. 1 p.

1820 Feb. 24 **Todd,** John H. Washington, D. C. Deed of trust to John T. Pendleton to secure a note held by the Frankfort Bank [Kentucky]. D. S. 6 p.

1820 Feb. 26 **Mabbut,** Alexander. L'Assomption, Canada. Memorandum to Alexander McKenzie and Judge [Jesse B.] Thomas concerning John Connolly, Sr.,

and Jr., and land at Louisville, Kentucky, granted to them by Lord Dunmore. A. D. S. 3 p.

1820 MAR. 7 **Scott**, M. T. To Crittenden. Renewal of note of General [Martin D.] Hardin; same of John J. Marshall. A. D. S. 1 p.

1820 APR. 3 **Burrill**, James, Jr. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Prophesies Crittenden's return to the Senate; congressional news and comment. A. L. S. 6 p.

1820 APR. 24 **Foster**, John M. Receipt for plats, certificates of survey, and register's fees. A. D. S. 1 p.

1820 APR. 27 **Mabbut**, Alex[ander]. Washington [D. C.]. Power of attorney to Jesse B. Thomas to dispose of and recover title to lands in Kentucky. D. S. 3 p.

1820 APR. 27 **Mabbut**, Alexander. Washington [D. C.]. Deed to interest in lands in Kentucky to Jesse B. Thomas. D. S. 3 p.

1820 MAY 19 **Lewis**, W. W. Elmwood [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Has declined appointment as one of the Directory at Russellville; has had proposals to go to France; predicts large majority for General [John] Adair [for Governor]. A. L. S. 3 p.

1820 MAY 19 **Lewis**, Gabriel. Elmwood, Kentucky. To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Copy of assignment by William O. Bledsoe heirs to William West of decree against John Lewis; comments thereon. A. L. S. 5 p.

1820 MAY 28 **Wickliffe**, R[obert]. Statement of his obligation to transfer stock of the Bank of Kentucky, belonging to Mrs. Mary Parker, to Crittenden. A. D. S. 1 p.

1820 JUNE 22–OCT. 4 **Robinson**, William, heirs. Land suit against Jacob Dufner. Declaration; writ of ejectment; amended declaration; order for survey; judgment; new trial; removal to Federal court; bond; copy of land grants, will, and deeds. Copy. 26 p.

1820 JULY 1 **Underwood**, J[oseph] R[ogers]. Glasgow, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Professional fees; predictions on the coming election for governor, representative to Congress, and the legislature of Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1820 JULY 25 **Sharp**, John & Co. Philadelphia. To J. & P. Dudley, Frankfort, Kentucky. Sends draft of John Buford on John L. Buck & Co. in favor of Miller, Kinsey & Cooper with protest. A. L. S. 1 p.

1820 Aug. 2 **Parker,** Alexander. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Order to deliver to John G. George two notes of John J. Marshall. A. L. S. 1 p.

1820 Aug. 5 **Wilson,** James. Henderson, Kentucky. Deed of trust to Peter Bogart and Henry Kneeland. Copy. 4 p.

1820 Aug. **Patton,** Robert, Administrator and heirs of. Fredericksburg, Virginia. Brief in suit against James Taylor, Hopkins County, Kentucky, for purchase price of land; memorandum regarding same. A. D. 19 p.

1820 Oct. 20 **Campbell,** J. R. Account against Crittenden. A. D. S. 1 p.

1820 Oct. 30 **Mabbut,** Alexander. Montreal, Canada. To Jesse B. Thomas, Washington, [D. C.] Relative to the family and estate of John Connolly, Sr. and Jr. A. L. S. 3 p.

1820 Nov. 2 **Kentucky Gazette** [The]. Receipted account against Crittenden. D. S. 1 p.

1820 Dec. 20 **Anderson,** R[ichard] C[lough], Jr. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Bill for surveys of Kentucky military lands; Missouri question; cession of Florida; deficiency in the Treasury excites little attention. A. L. S. 3 p.

1820 **Sneed,** Achilles. Account against Crittenden. Printed form filled in. 1 p.

[1820] **Bell,** Benjamin, and Nancy **Tapscott.** Yellow Banks, [Kentucky]. To James Madison, Orange County, [Virginia]. Plat of land recently purchased from Madison and comments thereon. A. L. S. by Bell. Also signed by Tapscott. 2 p.

1820 **O'Hara,** Kean. Account against Crittenden, for tuition of Crittenden's son and daughter. A. D. 1 p.

1821 Jan. 6 **Blair,** F[rancis] P[reston]. Columbus, Ohio. To Crittenden. Journey from Kentucky; opposition to U. S. Bank; character of Charles Hammond; lawyers' anxiety to hear [Henry] Clay's speech; Greek designs suggested for Kentucky bank notes or if preferred use the parable of the prodigal son. A. L. S. 4 p.

1821 Feb. 3 **Post Office,** [The]. Account against Crittenden for postage. 1 p.

1821 FEB. 17 **Craig,** E. W. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Collection of note of Edmund L. Sterling & Co.; depreciation of Bank currency. A. L. S. 1 p.

1821 MAR. 15 **Hickman,** B. Receipt to Crittenden for taxes and militia fine. A. D. S. 1 p.

1821 MAR. 29 **Olds,** William. Statement that he has employed Crittenden as counsel in two law suits. A. D's S. 1 p.

1821 APR. 14 **Kinkead,** Archibald. Woodford County, Kentucky. Mortgage to John Buford and David Campbell. D. S. 4 p.

1821 APR. 20 **Kinkead,** Archibald. Woodford County, Kentucky. Bill of sale to James Quarles for five negro slaves. D. S. 2 p.

1821 APR. 20 **Edwards,** J., Richard B. **Bohannon,** James **Stevenson,** and James H. **Elliott.** Valuation of five negro slaves of A[rchibold] Kinkead, for James Quarles. D. S. 1 p.

1821 APR. 21 **Quarles,** James. Woodford County, Kentucky. Loan of five negro slaves to Ann Kinkead and her children, the wife and children of Archibald Kinkead, reserving for himself the legal title. D. S. 1 p.

1821 MAY 10 **Mabbut,** Alexander. Montreal, [Canada]. To Jesse B. Thomas, Edwardsville, Illinois. Relative to the estate of John Connelly, Sr., and Jr. A. L. S. 2 p.

1821 MAY 30 **Wickliffe,** R[obert]. Notice that he as trustee for Mary Parker will apply for new certificates of stock of the Bank of Kentucky, the originals having been lost. D. S. 1 p.

1821 MAY 30 **Wickliffe,** R[obert]. Power of attorney as trustee for Mary Parker to Robert Wilkinson to transfer four shares of stock of the Bank of Kentucky to Crittenden. D. S. 1 p.

1821 JUNE 7 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Deed exchanging real estate with Joseph Scott. A. D. S. Signed also: Joseph Scott. Scott's receipt to Crittenden for bond on reverse. 4 p.

1821 JUNE 18 **Hawkins,** J. H. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden and Samuel Smith Nicholas. Excessive judgment of Wickliffes against Bartlet & Cox, and arrangements to pay just amount. A. L. S. 3 p.

1821 July 21 **Halloway**, John. Order on Crittenden to pay money to Littell. A. D. S. 1 p.

1821 July 23 **Mabbut**, Alex[ander]. Montreal, [Canada]. To Jesse B. Thomas, Louisville, Ohio. Estate of John Connolly, Sr., and Jr.; copy of letter from Samuel Mifflin; first trip on La Chene Canal. A. L. S. 2 p.

1821 Aug. 6 **Dudley**, A. W. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. Receipt to Crittenden for taxes. 1 p.

1821 Aug. 31 **Weisiger**, D[an]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. Receipted bill to Crittenden. 1 p.

1821 Aug. **Hunt**, William Gibbes. Receipted bill to Crittenden for subscription to "W[estern] Review." 1 p.

1821 Aug. **Bacon**, J. C. Owen County, [Kentucky]. Account against Crittenden and John McKinney. A. D. S. 1 p.

1821 Oct. 16 **Holly**, Horace. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To J[ohn] Todd. Amounts of money given to schools in the different states. Copy. 1 p.

1821 Nov. 30 **Letcher**, Robert P[erkins]. Lancaster, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. The suit of Anderson *vs.* Turner; good reports of Crittenden; advises Crittenden to "stick to the law." A. L. S. 3 p.

1821 Dec. 14 **Porter**, William and Agness. Franklin County, Kentucky. Deed to land in Frankfort, Kentucky, to John Love. D. S. 1 p.

1821 Dec. **Weisiger**, Dan. Receipt to Crittenden for "your portion of a Treat to the Members of the Assembly." A. D. S. 1 p.

1821 **Breathitt**, John. Account against Crittenden. A. D. 1 p.

1822 Jan. 18 **Johnson**, Francis. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Governorship and government of Florida; faith in General [Andrew] Jackson; praise of [President James] Monroe's Cabinet; presidential candidates; possibilities of [William Jones] Lowndes. A. L. S. 3 p.

1822 Apr. 20 **Vest**, John J. Order to Crittenden to pay money to David Jones. A. D. S. 1 p.

1822 May 10 **Harvie**, J. Five certificates that sums have been paid by Crittenden and credited on different bonds. D's. S. 2 p.

1822 June 29 **Gray**, W. F. Todd County, [Kentucky]. To Thomas Arnold, Paris, Kentucky. Debt of Wiley, of New Orleans. A. L. S. 1 p.

1822 Aug. 22 **Vest,** John J. Receipted account against Crittenden for carpenter work. A. D. S. 1 p.

1822 Aug. 23 **Henderson,** William. Authority for William Rogers to dismiss two suits. D. S. 1 p.

1822 Sept. **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Receipt to George P. Miller, William G. Boyd, and Charles Baird for money paid by sheriff after judgment. A. D. S. 1 p.

1822 Oct. 4 **Wallace,** Samuel M. Woodford, [Kentucky]. Order on Crittenden to pay money to [Andrew F.] Price. Receipt by Price on reverse. A. D's. S. 2 p.

1822 Oct. 25 **Wallace,** Samuel M. Woodford, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Requesting that he pay William Fleming money. A. L. S. 1 p.

1822 **O'Hara,** Kean. Receipted account against Crittenden for tuition of Crittenden's son and daughter and Margaret Smith. A. D. S. 1 p.

1822 **Bacon,** J. C. Owen County, [Kentucky]. Account against Crittenden and John McKinney. A. D. S. 1 p.

1823 Jan. 8 **Robertson,** G[eorge]. Lancaster, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Political situation of Ohio; strength of [Henry] Clay and others as candidates for Presidential nomination. A. L. S. 8 p.

1823 Feb. 18 **Hagner,** Peter. [Washington, D. C.] To Richard Mentor Johnson. [Washington, D. C.] Claim of Capt. Robert Crittenden for loss of horses during Seminole campaign; further evidence of the loss necessary. Copy. 3 p.

1823 Apr. 1 **Gayle,** George. Receipted account against Crittenden for tuition of Margaret Smith. A. D. S. 1 p.

1823 May 20 **Wilcox,** Samuel. Declaration in ejectment against Jonathan Willis. Blank form filled in. 2 p.

1823 May 25 **Edwards,** Presley. Russellville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Claim to land by heirs of Major David Walker. A. L. S. 1 p.

1823 June 6 **Bacon,** C[harles] P. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Thomas Arnold, Paris, [Kentucky]. Payment to Bacon, Samuel & Co.; account of Gray, Bacon and Arnold with Bacon, Samuel & Co. A. L. S. 2 p.

1823 June 7 **Arnold,** Thomas. Paris, [Kentucky]. To Charles P. Bacon, Frankfort, [Kentucky]. Refusal to accept money in Commonwealth paper; prefers nothing. A. L. S. 1 p.

1823 JUNE 15 **Anderson**, R[ichard] C[lough], Jr. To Crittenden. Aboard the *John Adams*, Hampton Roads, Virginia, about to sail for Colombia; old acquaintances. A. L. S. 2 p.

1823 JULY 5 **Bacon**, Charles P. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Thomas Arnold, Paris, [Kentucky]. Contradicts statement made by Arnold regarding money and accounts. A. L. S. 1 p.

1823 JULY 11 **Arnold**, Thomas. Paris, [Kentucky]. To M[artin] D. Hardin, Frankfort, [Kentucky]. Desires that he take proper steps to collect claim against Charles P. Bacon. A. L. S. 2 p.

1823 AUG. 22 **Waller**, Will S. Receipt to Crittenden for money in satisfaction of a judgment against Crittenden and George M. Bibb in favor of the Bank of Kentucky. D. S. 1 p.

1823 AUG. 30 **Edwards**, Amos. Greenville Springs, [Kentucky]. Assignment to Crittenden of bond executed by Solomon P. Sharp. D. S. 1 p.

1823 AUG. 30 **Edwards**, Amos. Greenville Springs, [Kentucky]. Release of bond to Crittenden, for value received. D. S. 1 p.

1823 SEPT. 13 **Clay**, H[enry]. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Dispute, trouble, and threatened duel between Breckinridge and Wickliffe. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871, I 59.

1823 SEPT. 16 **Jouett**, Jack. Springfield, [Kentucky?] Certificate of deposit by Paul J. Booker. Copy. 1 p.

1823 NOV. 1 **Pearson**, J. E. Memorandum of agreement between Edmund B. Pearson and James Peters for sale of tobacco. A. D. S. 1 p.

1824 JAN. 21 **White**, D. W. [David?]. Washington, [D. C.] To John Todd. Subjects of great importance before Congress; war between Greece and Turkey; allied Powers of Europe against the Patriots of South America; Amendment to Constitution as to Election of President; tariff; candidates for presidential nomination. Copy. 2 p.

1824 MAR. 1 **Hagner**, Peter. [Washington, D. C.] [To Crittenden.] Claim for value of horses lost by Capt. Robert Crittenden during the Seminole Campaign. L. S. 2 p.

1824 Mar. 7 **Johnson,** Richard M[entor]. Washington, [D. C.]. To Crittenden. Faithfulness to [George M.] Bibb; suit against Sullivan Dorr; presidential contest between Clay, Jackson, Adams, and Crawford; Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Convention for Jackson. A. L. S. 3 p.

1824 Mar. 8 **Bibb,** George M. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Trip to Washington for trying law suit and not to oppose [Henry] Clay; [Henry] Clay no longer friend; [Andrew] Jackson nominated for President; prominent speakers and speeches in case of [Robert] Fulton's exclusive right to navigate the rivers of New York. A. L. S. 11 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871. I, 60.

1824 Mar. 15 **Jones,** William D. & Co. Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Law suits for Jones. A. L. S. 1 p.

1824 June 30 **Dale,** Reuben. Shelby County, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Order to pay money to T. B. Burnett. Receipt for same by Burnett on reverse. A. L. S. 1 p.

1824 July 12 **Patrick,** Jane. Lex[ingto]n, [Kentucky]. Order to Crittenden to allow H. L. & James Weir, Jr., a credit. D. S. 1 p.

1824 July 16 **Clark,** George. Receipt to Crittenden for tuition of George [Bibb] Crittenden. A. D. S. 1 p.

1824 July **Tuttle,** Moses. Land suit against George Wymer et al. Answer. A. D. by Crittenden. 3 p.

1824 Sept. 9 **Trimble,** David. Mount Sterling, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Law case in the Federal Court, Benjamin Lay *vs.* Young et al. A. L. S. 1 p.

1824 Oct. 19 **Smith,** Robert H. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. The claims of [John] Reed and [Standish] Forde to lands in Kentucky. A. L. S. 4 p.

1824 Nov. 10 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Suit of Gernon *vs.* Simons; Ohio election; letter from La Fayette to be published. A. L. S. 1 p.

1824 Nov. 18 **Jones,** W[illiam] D. & Co. Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Law suits for Jones. A. L. S. 2 p.

1824 Nov. 27 **Rafinesque,** C. S. Certificate that Crittenden has paid two instalments on one share of stock of the Transylvania Botanic Garden Company. Printed form filled in. D. S. 1 p.

1825 FEB. 15 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Result of Presidential election; charges against Clay; advises Clay accept place if offered in Adams' Cabinet if elected. Two copies, 3 and 2 pages. Printed: Colton, Works of Clay, N. Y., 1897, IV, 117.

1825 FEB. 26 **Call,** R[ichard] K[eith]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Appointment of [William R.] Burnley to West Point; appointment of [Maj.] Gen. [George] Izard as Governor of Arkansas Territory instead of Robert Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1825 APR. 24 **Howard,** Thomas C. Richmond, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Relative to suit for Howard. A. L. S. 3 p.

1825 APR. 29 **Scott,** Robert. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Payment of fees in suit between N. Sanders and executor of [James] Morrison. A. L. S. 2 p.

1825 MAY 25 **Robertson,** G[eorge]. Lancaster, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Strongly urging Crittenden to become a candidate [for Kentucky Legislature]. A. L. S. 8 p.

1825 JUNE 27 **Hawkins,** J. W. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Invitation to address inhabitants of Franklin on ensuing election. A. L. S. 1 p.

1825 JULY 18 **Humphreys,** Charles. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Meeting of trustees of Transylvania University for election of professors of the law school; probable appointments. A. L. S. 2 p.

1825 JULY 25 **Clay,** H[enry]. Lebanon, Ohio. To Crittenden. His reception at Cincinnati and Lebanon; qualities of [De Witt] Clinton, who was in Cincinnati. Copy. 1 p.

1825 AUG. 20 **Foster,** Ephraim H. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Residence of Josiah Anthony and desires "to have him sued instantly." A. L. S. 2 p.

1825 AUG. 15 **Harper,** J. Lexington, [Kentucky]. Cashier's order on Bank of U. S. favor of Crittenden. Printed form filled in. D. S. 1 p.

1825 AUG. 22 **Clay,** H[enry]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Rejoices in Crittenden's election to the Kentucky Legislature; trouble with Georgia over the Creek lands. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871, I 62.

1825 Sept. 6 **Bell,** C. Receipt to Crittenden for taxes and militia fines for year 1824. A. L. S. 1 p.

1825 Sept. 22 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Crittenden's course with the "Anti-Reliefs" and the "Reliefs" in the House of Representatives of Kentucky. Copy. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I 63.

1825 Sept. 22 **Higginbotham,** Manuel. Record of proceedings in suit for money against Abraham Baugh; defendant's exceptions noted. Copy. 7 p.

1825 Oct. 20 [**Clay,** Henry]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Claim of Daniel Dougherty for land as heir to Winser [Windsor ?] Brown, an officer of the Revolutionary War. A. L. 1 p. Signature cut off.

1825 Nov. 17 **Foster,** Ephraim H. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Location of Josiah Anthony and persons responsible for him. Extract from letter from Josiah Anthony referring to his imprisonment for debt, on reverse. A. L. S. 2 p.

1825 Nov. 18 **Beauchamp,** J[eroboam] O. [Frankfort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Declaration of his innocence of the murder of Colonel [Solomon P.] Sharp, and earnestly beseeches Crittenden's assistance. A. L. S. 8 p. Also copy of same. 10 p.

1825 Nov. 25 **Beauchamp,** J[eroboam] O. [Frankfort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Urgently protests his innocence of the murder of Colonel [Solomon P.] Sharp and asks that justice be dealt him. A. L. S. 7 p. Also copy of part of same. 5 p.

1825 Dec. 26 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Happenings in the [Kentucky] state legislature; reluctance to engage in the coming campaign; failure of resolutions expressing confidence in Clay and his support of [John Quincy] Adams. Copy. 2 p.

[1825?] **Blair,** F[rancis] P[reston]. To Crittenden. Desires Crittenden for security on a loan; means of payment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1826 Jan. 19 **Blair,** W. P. S. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His financial condition; requests loan of money. A. L. S. 1 p.

1826 Feb. 1 **Foster,** Ephraim H. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Desires Crittenden to proceed no further in suit against [Josiah] Anthony. A. L. S. 1 p.

1826 MAR. 10 **Clay,** H[enry]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Suits for estate of Col. [James] Morrison; condition of affairs in Congress; appointment of successor to Judge Thomas Todd. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden. Phila., 1871; I, 63.

1826 APR. 11 **Mercer,** Hugh [T. W.] Fredericksburg, [Virginia]. To Major William Taylor, Oldham County, Kentucky. Settlement of costs in partition suit between heirs of C. Griffin and heirs of J. T. Griffin; Martin Walker's claim and bill. A. L. S. 8 p.

1826 APR. 12 **Craig,** Lewis, Jr. Suit of ejectment against Thomas T. Worthington et al., Mason County, Kentucky. Including copies and exhibit of records in suits extending back many years to titles in John May and John Tabb. Copy, with exceptions noted on last page by Crittenden. 49 p.

1826 APR. 22 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay, [Washington, D. C.] Trouble [duel] between Clay and [John] Randolph; rumor that a duel was fought between Clay and [John C.] Calhoun, in which Calhoun was killed; advice; the Panama mission; recognition of South American Republics; quarrel between [David] Trimble and [Joseph] Vance with [George] McDuffie; course of the Anti-Relief and Relief parties in Kentucky. Copy. 3 p.

1826 MAY 11 **Clay,** H[enry]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Affair [duel] with [John] R[andolph]; [David] Trimble's trouble with [George] McDuffie and speech; [John] R[owan's] opposition to [Robert] Trimble's appointment as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the U. S.; treaties made with Denmark and Guatemala. A. L. S. 1 p.

1826 MAY 26 **Ewing,** Robert. Red River, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Requests information and expresses opinion on [Kentucky] political questions; state elections and candidates; rebuilding the statehouse at Frankfort. A. L. S. 3 p.

1826 JULY 10 **Clay,** H[enry]. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Intends to visit Frankfort; execution of [Jeroboam O.] Beauchamp [the assassin of Solomon P. Sharp]. A. L. S. 1 p.

1826 Aug. 6 **Clay**, H[enry]. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Unable to visit Frankfort before his return to Washington; hopes that Crittenden will visit Lexington. A. L. S. 1 p.

1826 Aug. 29 **Butler**, A[nthony]. Monticello, [Mississippi]. To Crittenden. Butler's election to Mississippi Legislature; political strife in Kentucky; Butler's suit against Crockett; warm session expected in Mississippi Legislature. A. L. S. 4 p.

1826 Sept. 10 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Mrs. Maria K. Todd. Love note. Copy. 1 p.

1826 Sept. 20 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Shelbyville, [Kentucky]. To Mrs. Maria K. Todd. Love letter. Copy. 1 p.

1826 Sept. 26 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Shelbyville, [Kentucky]. To Mrs. Maria K. Todd. Love letter. Copy. 1 p.

1826 Nov. 1 **Adams**, George. Natchez, [Mississippi]. To Crittenden. Condolence for Crittenden's defeat for [Kentucky] legislature; advises firmness to Democratic principles and healing of ruptured friendship with [George M.] Bibb. A. L. S. 2 p.

1826 Nov. 25 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Opposes rumors against Clay; new court leaders are for General [Andrew] Jackson; Kentucky will support [Adams] administration; [John] Boyle's appointment to judgeship over John Pope saved Kentucky for Clay; stated that Clay's interests not concerned in next Presidential election; pleased at course taken by brother Henry [Crittenden], and hopes of his [Henry Crittenden's] election. Copy. 2 p.

1826 Nov. 27 **Call**, G. W. Russellville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Disbelief that his brother [Richard K. Call] could have had part in publications in the Louisville Public Advertiser, and distressed by Crittenden's ill feeling towards his brother; congratulations on his marriage; Crittenden's friends anxious for him to be a candidate for governor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1826 Nov. 27 **Morehead**, Charles S. Hopkinsville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Robert Cravens, in suit against him brought by Means, requests Crittenden represent him in Court of Appeals. A. L. S. 1 p.

1826 Dec. 12 **Clay,** Henry. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Congratulations on his marriage; reasons for changing the public printer in Kentucky; Senate committees rearranged, giving to administration the majorities in each case. Copy. 1 p.

[1826] **Miller** Henry, devisees of. Land suit against Jacob and John McIntire. Defendants' printed brief. 4 p.

1827 Jan. 12 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. [George M.] Bibb accepts office of Chief Justice of Kentucky, ending court dispute; rebuilding capitol at Frankfort; criticises plan for trained militia. Copy. 1 p.

1827 Jan. 25 **Clay,** H[enry]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Appointment of Crittenden and Thomas H. Fletcher as U. S. District Attorneys for Kentucky and West Tennessee, respectively; assents to Crittenden becoming counsel for Taylor in suit against Clay. A. L. S. 1 p.

1827 Jan. 26 **Clark,** George. Fayette, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Approbation of his young friend [Crittenden's son?] as a student; account for necessities. A. L. S. 2 p.

1827 Feb. 6 **Johnson,** R[ichard] M[entor]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Johnson's suit with Green Clay; politics, he hopes, does not lessen their personal friendship; Crittenden's confirmation as District Attorney for Kentucky; desires additional services of George Robertson. A. L. S. 3 p.

1827 Mar. 3 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Various candidates for Congressional nomination in Kentucky; [John] Tyler's course in the Senate; actions of the opposition toward the administration; [John C.] Calhoun and the treasury peculations. Copy. 2 p.

1827 Mar. 6 **Addison,** L. D. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Inquires if Crittenden has made collections on notes. A. L. S. 1 p.

1827 Mar. 7 **Addison,** L. D. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires statement relative to notes put in his hands for collection. A. L. S. 1 p.

1827 Apr. 4 **Lee,** John H. Daviess, Kentucky. To James Madison, Montpelier, Virginia. Advises suit against the estates of Tapscott and Bell, relative to land settlements. A. L. S. 2 p.

1827 May 19 **Barbour**, James. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Has supplied requested omission; pleased with triumph of correct priciples in Kentucky; Pennsylvania's political attitude. A. L. S. 1 p.

1827 Sept. 3 **Trimble**, Robert. [Frankfort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Requests Crittenden to call at post office and take out Trimble's volume of [Henry] Wheaton's [law] reports. A. L. S. 1 p.

1827 Sept. 3 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Clay's statements made in 1824 to Crittenden relative to Clay's refusal to vote for [Andrew] Jackson. Copy. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 66.

1827 Sept. 6 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Effect of [James] Buchanan's letter to Jackson; charges made against Clay; Clay's letter to White. Copy. 2 p.

1827 Sept. 11 **Chambers**, John. Washington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Many different lawsuits; banters Crittenden in friendly way. A. L. S. 2 p.

1827 Oct. 30 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Treachery of the times has swept away many friends; Clay's letter to White; letters of [Amos] Kendall published in the "Argus"; vindication of certain charges against Crittenden. Copy. 2 p.

1827 Nov. 15 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Opinion on the charges against Clay; prospects of the next election in Kentucky; candidates for Vice President; Crittenden's loss of Clay's letter; found by opponents, and consequences. Copy. 3 p.

1827 Nov. 19 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Solicits an appointment for [Humphrey Marshall] son of John J. Marshall to West Point. Copy. 1 p.

1827 Nov. 28 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. New York elections "like a dark cloud." Copy. 1 p.

1827 Dec. 16 **Clay**, H[enry]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Will soon present a mass of testimony in his behalf to the public; his preference for Adams in 1825; Crittenden could safely have kept out of dispute; inability to obtain appointment for

Humphrey Marshall to West Point; minority in Congress; elections in New York; bright prospects in Virginia and North Carolina. A. L. S. 3 p.

1828 JAN. 3 **Simmerman,** P[eter]. Burksville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Testimony in suit of Haslet & McKim against Peter and John Simmerman; oath by Simmerman that testimony and deposition of Henry R. Simmerman is necessary. A. L. S. 3 p.

1828 MAR. 1 **Cornelius,** S. Alexandria, D. C. To R[ichard] M[entor] Johnson, Washington, D. C. No administration on [unnamed] estate. A. L. S. 1 p.

1828 MAR. 2 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Yellow Banks, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Crittenden's knowledge of Clay's attitude towards [Andrew] Jackson in 1825. A. L. S. 3 p.

1828 MAR. 4 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. "Bargain and corruption;" Senate proceedings to try the charges against Clay; letter of [Francis P.] Blair. Copy. 4 p.

1828 MAR. 28 **Morehead,** James T. Glasgow, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Requests Crittenden's services in lawsuits. A. L. S. 2 p.

1828 APR. 11 **Monroe,** James. Oak Hill, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Sends memoir of his views on public events, founded upon his mission to Europe. Copy. 1 p.

1828 APR. 12 **Johnson,** Fr[ancis]. Bowling Green, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Favorable turn of public sentiment; Clay's pamphlet; political industry of Jackson's followers; encloses a note to [Amos] Kendall. A. L. S. 1 p.

1828 APR. 12 **Johnson,** Fr[ancis]. Bowling Green, [Kentucky]. To Amos Kendall. Correcting error published in Kendall's newspaper concerning [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 1 p.

1828 JUNE 6 **Johnson,** Fr[ancis]. Bowling Green, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Sends the amount of an execution against Charles Campbell; candidates for next election in the district; publication of letters. A. L. S. 2 p.

1828 SEPT. 16 **Trimble,** D[avid]. To Crittenden. Requests Crittenden to represent him in suit of Mosely *vs.* Garrett et al. A. L. S. 1 p.

1828 Sept. 23 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Preparation for the contest in November. Copy. 1 p.

1828 Oct. 1 **Willis,** W[illiam] T. Greensburgh, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Work in the county for the November election; prospects. A. L. S. 3 p.

1828 Dec. 3 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Consoling advice on political reverses; judgships in Kentucky; Crittenden's possibilities for the Federal Judgship. Two copies. 2 p. each. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 71.

1828 Dec. 25 **Johnson,** Richard M[entor]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. [Andrew] Jackson's possible Cabinet officers; Crittenden's nomination as associate justice of the U. S. Supreme Court. A. L. S. 3 p.

1828 Dec. 27 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. His nomination as Associate Justice of U. S. Supreme Court and opposition to his confirmation by the Senate. Copy. 1 p.

1828 Dec. 29 **Chambers,** John. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Cause of delay in Crittenden's confirmation as Associate Justice of U. S. Supreme Court; same referred to committee; Jacksonians may block confirmation; speculations on Jackson's Cabinet. A. L. S. 5 p.

1829 Jan. 6 **Clay,** H[enry]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Suspension of Crittenden's confirmation as Associate Justice of U. S. Supreme Court. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 73.

1829 Jan. 7 **Wickliffe,** Charles A. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Assurance that he will aid all possible in the confirmation of Crittenden as Associate Justice of U. S. Supreme Court, and explains the delay of same. Copy. 3 p.

1829 Jan. 16 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Resigned to his fate as regards his confirmation in the Senate as Associate Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court; State judgeships in Kentucky. Copy. 1 p.

1829 Jan. 27 **Clay,** H[enry]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Exertions of Crittenden's friends in the Senate for his confirmation as Associate Justice in the

U. S. Supreme Court; intention of the Senate to confirm no nominations during the present administration; uncertainty of affairs at Washington. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 73.

1829 JAN. 28 **Chambers**, John. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Refusal of the Senate to vote on Crittenden's nomination as Associate Justice of U. S. Supreme Court; rumor of death of Jackson; personals. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 79.

1829 FEB. 2 **Archer**, W[illiam] S[egar]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Opinion that Crittenden's nomination will be rejected by the Senate; assurance of his friendship; offer of future assistance. A. L. S. 5 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 79.

1829 FEB. 15 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Fate of his nomination in the Senate; opinion of Adams's administration; Clay's future occupation; the Old Court and New Court parties of Kentucky; predicts a Clay party will predominate the state. Copy. 2 p.

1829 MAY 26 **Union Philosophical Society**, of Transylvania University. [Lexington, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Notification by committee that Crittenden had been chosen orator for July celebration. L. S. by James Scott, W. B. Redds and Cassius M. Clay. 1 p.

1829 JULY 7 **Russellville**, [Kentucky] Citizens. To Crittenden. Invitation to public entertainment; testimonial of confidence and admiration; criticism of [Andrew] Jackson's political practices. L. S. by 22 signatures as a committee. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 76.

1829 AUG. 21 **Waddell**, William Coventry H. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Crittenden's account against the Department of State for services. A. L. S. 1 p.

1829 SEPT. 7 **Christian County**. Hopkinsville [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Invitation to visit this district with Henry Clay. L. S. by 35 signatures as a committee. 2 p.

1829 Nov. 14 **Blakey**, Thomas. Logan Co., Kentucky. To Crittenden. Dissatisfaction at the division of the estate of the late William Haden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1830 Mar. 22 **Lee**, Richard Henry. Mason County, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. The death of Lee's wife, Eliza [Crittenden ?] A. L. S. 1 p.

1830 Apr. 26 **Chamberlain Philosophical & Literary Society** of Center College, Danville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Request for address on commencement day. L. S. by Charles G. Wintersmith and Robert Nall, committee. 1 p.

1830 June 1 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Is confident of his own election; his preference for Clay for Presidency; the political situation in Kentucky; Jackson's veto of Maysville Turnpike bill. Copy. 1 p.

[1830?] June 12 **Morehead**, A. To Crittenden. Encloses amount of his note. A. L. S. 1 p.

1830 June 13 **Burnley**, A[lbert] T. Yellow Banks, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Has sent interest due; Crittenden's political struggle for election to U. S. Senate; Jackson's veto of the Maysville turnpike bill; Jackson's renomination of [Mordecai Manuel] Noah detestable; compromise in the case of Pickett's heirs *vs.* Blight's heirs. A. L. S. 6 p.

1830 July 12 **Taylor**, William. Receipt for money paid by Crittenden, amount of judgment against John Murphy. D. S. as agent for Hugh [T. W.] Mercer. 1 p.

1831 Mar. 14 **Union Literary Society** of Miami University. Oxford, Ohio. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver an address on the 27th of September following. L. S. by C. B. Harrison and Thomas T. Thornton as a committee. 2 p.

1831 May 7 **Mercer**, Hugh [T. W.] Fredericksburg, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Transfer of his business from Major William Taylor to Crittenden; Taylor's business abilities; [Henry] Clay's prospects for Presidency; support of the Kentucky legislature for Crittenden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1831 May 9 [**Union Literary Society**] of Miami University. [Oxford, Ohio.] To Crittenden. Desire reply to previous invitation to address the society. L. S. by C. B. Harrison and T[homas] T. Thornton, committee. 2 p.

1831 May 9 **McNairy,** Boyd C. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Crittenden's candidacy for the legislature; Cabinet change at Washington; approval of Jackson in Tennessee; importance of Kentucky elections. A. L. S. 2 p.

1831 June 10 **Blair,** F[rancis] P[reston] Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Will pay sum due Crittenden if drawn on; establishing the "Globe"; his wife has ordered it sent to Crittenden that he may read her "Hemisphere"; Blair's children; praise of Jackson; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1831 Sept. 24 **Flournoy,** T. Columbus, Ohio. To Crittenden. [Henry] Clay should go to the Senate instead of Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p.

1831 Sept. 28 **Harris,** Fran[k]. Sublett's Tavern, Virginia. To Crittenden. Encloses money for taxes on his Ohio land; personals. Endorsed by Crittenden that the amount was paid to Hiram Harris. A. L. S. 1 p.

1831 Oct. 10 **Clay,** Brutus J. Paris, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Division, sale, suit, and records concerning land owned by Mrs. Boston. A. L. S. 2 p.

1831 Oct. 14 **Macey,** A. R. Bowling Green, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Relative to a note of T. J. & J. Roberts; anti-Masonic nomination of [William] Wirt and its effect on Henry Clay; meeting at Frankfort for nomination of Governor and Vice President; proposes Crittenden for Governor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1831 Nov. 20 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Suit of U. S. *vs.* Clay as executor for [James] Morrison; anticipates a less disagreeable session of Congress; desires Crittenden's counsels and communications. A. L. S. 1 p.

1831 Dec. 29 **Buckner,** Richard A. Greensburgh, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Gratitude for advice; Buckner's conduct toward his own nomination [for governor]. A. L. S. 3 p.

1832 Jan. 9 **Collins,** Lewis. Maysville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Withdrawal of Crittenden's subscription to the Maysville "Eagle." A. L. S. 1 p.

1832 Feb. 16 **Hanna,** John. Mills Point, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Crittenden to act as counsel in certain lawsuits; importance of suit of Hogue *vs.* Marr. A. L. S. 2 p.

1832 FEB. 23 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Rejection of nomination of [Martin] Van Buren [as Minister to Great Britain]; regulation of the tariff; rumor of dissension between Adams and Clay; support of Richard A. Buckner for Governor. Copy. 1 p.

1832 FEB. 27 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Richard A. Buckner. Contradicts interpretation put upon his own statement as garbled by Willis relative to Buckner's candidacy for Governor. A. D'ft. S. 4 p.

1832 MAR. 7 **Archer,** W[illiam] S[egar]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Difficulty in securing some appointment; schoolboy recollections; peril in being governor of a state; ascendancy of Branch [T.] Archer in Texas. A. L. S. 7 p.

1832 MAR. 20 **Helm,** John L. Elizabethtown, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires to retain him as counsel; law matters. A. L. S. 2 p.

1832 APR. 10 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Denial of statement published in a pamphlet [by James Love] relative to Crittenden not being entitled to the confidence of the party. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 83.

1832 APR. 15 **Clay,** H[enry]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires attention given to two suits between Clay and [James] Morrison in Court of Appeals. A. L. S. 1 p.

1832 APR. 16 **Edwards,** Ninian. Belleville, Illinois. To Crittenden. Edwards having been wrongly accused of opposing the reduction of the price of public lands and granting of preemptions while in the U. S. Senate, desires a statement from Crittenden; Edwards's true course; fell senseless while delivering speech in Senate in favor of reduction. A. L. S. 2 p.

1832 JULY 8 **Archer,** W[illiam] S[egar]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Personal friendship; relative to acceptance of a foreign mission if offered; work of the "Kitchen Cabinet." A. L. S. 8 p.

1832 SEPT. 9 **Russellville Convention.** Bowling Green, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver address on September 27 or 28; political affairs. L. S. by seven signatures. 3 p.

1832 Nov. 17 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Advises Clay to continue in the U. S. Senate; his own ambitions. Copy. 1 p.

1832 Nov. 19 **Sergeant,** John. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Adverse result of recent elections; [Henry] Clay's success in Kentucky; Sergeant's defeat. A. L. S. 1 p.

1832 Nov. 24 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Receipt of money from estate of [James] Morrison; expects Clay in Frankfort before going to Washington; Clay need not hurry to Senate, as he can not pacify the South. Copy. 1 p.

1832 Nov. 26 **Allan,** Chilton. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. His long services with the party, and present scheme that will defeat him; asks Crittenden to intercede in his behalf. A. L. S. 3 p.

1832 Nov. 27 **Leigh,** William. Halifax County, Virginia. To Crittenden. Asks assistance for William Banks in his benevolent purpose; their boyhood at Williamsburg, [College of William and Mary]. A. L. S. 1 p.

1832 Nov. 28 **Clay,** Henry. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. His service in the U. S. Senate; will proceed immediately to Washington. Copy. 1 p.

1833 Feb. 20 **Breckinridge,** Robert. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Holds promissory note from Thomas Triplett to William Tomason, past due; requests Crittenden's attention thereto. A. L. S. 1 p.

1833 Feb. 28 **N[icholas],** S[amuel] S[mith]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Regrets inability to vote for Orlando Brown because of previous promise to vote for [James] Dana for Reporter of the Kentucky Court of Appeals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1833 Mar. 2 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To S[amuel] S[mith] Nicholas, [Louisville, Kentucky]. Regret that the Judges of the Court of Appeals have committed themselves for [James] Dana for Reporter; Dana's newspaper attack on Crittenden. Copy. 1 p.

1833 Apr. 5 **Bibb,** George M. Washington, [D. C.] To Albert T. Burnley, Yellow Banks, Kentucky. Post Office contracts; bad condition of the roads; busy with arguments for Bruce and Gen'l [Jas.] Taylor's claims against the Treasury; investigation of burning of the Treasury building; [Henry] Clay's

tariff compromise bill; [Martin] Van Buren not popular. A. L. S. 5 p.

1833 May 20 — **Union and Jefferson Societies** of Augusta College, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver address on Aug. 7. L. S. by ten names in same hand writing, committee.

1833 Aug. 6 — **Lee**, Richard Henry. Maysville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Election of William B. Philips as mayor; prospects for the general election; cholera in the district. A. L. S. 3 p.

1833 Aug. 8 — **Harlan**, James. Harrodsburg, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Fears that [Thomas P.] Moore has defeated [Robert P.] Letcher for Congress; Letcher's lack of funds and organization. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1833] Sept. 12 — **N[icholas**, Samuel Smith]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Political matters; draft of bill to regulate election of U. S. Senators. A. L. S. 5 p, inc. enclosure of 3 p.

1833 Sept. 15 — **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To S[amuel] S[mith] Nicholas. Kind feelings toward [William] Drayton as a Presidential candidate but will stick to [Henry] Clay to the last; praise of Clay. Copy. 2 p.

1833 Sept. 16 — **Bunn**, Nathan. Henderson, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Claim to land held by William R. Griffith and Calhoon; desires Crittenden's law services; same for Elenathan Durfee. A. L. S. 2 p.

1833 Oct. 3 — **Benham**, Joseph A. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires Crittenden as counsel for Judge [Stephen] Ormsby in suit over will of Ormsby's brother. A. L. S. 1 p.

1833 Nov. 12 — **Breckinridge**, James D. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Suit in chancery in the Federal Court of Pager's executors *vs.* Bristow heirs. A. L. S. 2 p.

1833 Dec. 3 — **Banks**, William B. Halifax County, Virginia. To Crittenden. Requests supervision of legal and personal affairs of brother, Henry Banks; his brother's misfortunes; praise for [Henry] Clay and [George M.] Bibb; land claims. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1833?] — **Botts**, William. Flemingsburg, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Desires examination of papers in suits against John McKee. A. L. S. 2 p.

1834 Apr. 8 **Clay,** H[enry]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Appointments of Monroe and Saunders approved; Virginia and New York elections; Senate has not concurrence of House of Representatives; Orlando Brown in Washington; shameless party spirit in the House of Representatives. A. L. S. 1 p.

1834 Apr. 29 **Haydon,** John W. Hancock County, [Kentucky]. Plaintiff in suit against St. Clair Young; judgment for defendant; appeal. Copy. 4 p.

1834 May 17 **Morehead,** James T. Bowling Green, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Demand for Congressional documents reporting debates; Clay's latest speech; Decline of the Jackson party. A. L. S. 4 p.

1834 May 19 **Elkton** [Kentucky] Citizens. To Crittenden. Citizens call a convention to meet July 4th to consider dangerous assumption of power by President Jackson, invite Crittenden to be present. L. S. by 9 names in one handwriting. 2 p.

1834 May 27 **Love,** James. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Strife for presidential succession; President Jackson abandoned by Virginia and New York; presidential candidates; interests of [John] McLean, [Martin] Van Buren, and [Henry] Clay. The debate on Jackson's "Protest"; President's hostility to present U. S. Bank; contest for the speaker's chair; Cabinet appointments; in midst of election contest between [Thomas P.] Moore and [Robert P. Letcher]; talent in the House of Representatives; praise for Crittenden. A. L. S. 8 p.

1834 May 30 **Love,** James. [Washington, D.C.] To Crittenden. Love's views of next presidency differ not from those of [Henry] Clay; election contest between [Thomas P.] Moore and [Robert P.] Letcher about closed; confirmation of [Mahlon] Dickerson [as Secretary of the Navy] and [Andrew] Stevenson [as minister to Great Britain]; Jackson party threatens to punish U. S. Bank officials for contempt; noteworthy speech of [Amos] Davis; [Robert P.] Letcher will owe his seat to [Amos] Davis; wigwam still in trouble; "Mrs. [John Henry] Eaton is against Jackson." A. L. S. 3 p.

1834 June 17 **McLean,** Alney. Greenville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Denounces President Jackson and his policies; candidates for the state election; expects much good from the Elkton [Kentucky] convention. A. L. S. 3 p.

1834 June 19 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Randolph Railey, Jr. Order to Railey on William D. Young for amount of judgment obtained for A. F. Price's administrators; Railey's receipt on reverse. Copy. 2 p.

1834 June 29 **Coleman,** Chapman. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Efforts and plans of Charles [Anderson] Wickliffe to defeat Crittenden for the U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 2 p.

1834 Aug. 5 **Morehead,** James T. Allensville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Sends official blanks; election returns. A. L. S. 1 p.

1834 Sept. 9 **Madison,** James. Montpelier, [Virginia]. To George Joy. Incident in the life of Lafayette; certain letters sent to [John Quincy] Adams; orders in Council relative to the embargo; detailed circumstances attending the declaration of war [of 1812] and its termination; practice of impressment by Great Britain; failing in health. Copy. 6 p.

1834 Nov. 14 **Wickliffe,** C[harles] A[nderson]. Springfield, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Denies that he has spoken abusively of Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1834 Dec. 18 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To S[amuel] S[mith] Nicholas. Urges him to interpose in the expected duel between Marshall and Rowan. Copy. 1 p.

1835 Feb. 7 **Eurodelphian Society** of Saint Josephs College. Bardstown, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver an address on April 14. L. S. by 4 names in one handwriting, committee. 1 p.

1835 Mar. 31 **Cincinnati** Citizens. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Crittenden. Invitation to attend celebration of first settlement by native citizens on April 7th. L. S. by A. G. Gano, chairman, and A. N. Riddle, secretary. 1 p.

1835 Apr. 6 **Whig Society** of South Hanover College. South Hanover, Indiana. To Crittenden. Informs him that he has been made an honorary member, and invites

him to deliver oration at commencement. L. S. by Samuel H. Thomson and George F. Whitworth, committee, in one handwriting. 2 p.

1835 Aug. 10 **Professional Teachers State Convention.** Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver an address during first week in November. L. S. by J. Dunham, Rev. R. Davidson, and J. L. Van Doren, committee, in one handwriting. 1 p.

1835 Dec. 23 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To J[ames] T. Morehead, [William] Owsley, J[ohn] Harvie, and Orlando Brown. Affairs with France; [William Henry] Harrison nominated for Presidency by Pennsylvania, and its importance; Anti-Masonic Convention of Pennsylvania of no consequence; thinks Kentucky should immediately adopt nominations of Pennsylvania; great contest in Virginia for [Hugh Lawson] White; [Daniel] Webster not justly appreciated; contest settled against him, and he has Crittenden's sympathy. Copy. 6 p.

1836 Jan. 5 **Marshall,** Humphrey. To Crittenden. Affairs with France; the President's actions, rights, and powers relative to France and France's course. Copy. 2 p.

1836 Jan. 6 **Daggett,** David. New Haven, [Connecticut]. To Crittenden. Condemns present "Jack Cade" administration; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1836 Jan. 7 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Orlando Brown. British offer and acceptance of mediation for settlement of our differences with France. Copy. 2 p.

1836 Jan. 13 **Reeves,** B. H. Fayette, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Price of Crittenden's lands in Missouri; [Hugh Lawson] White, Whig favorite for Presidential nomination in Missouri; [William H.] Ashley is announced as a candidate for Governor of Missouri. A. L. S. 2 p.

1836 Jan. 18 **Harvie,** J[ohn]. Richmond, Virginia. To Crittenden. Introducing Hodijah [B.] Meade with great praise; Van Buren party preponderant in Virginia; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1836 Jan. 25 **Buford,** John. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Bill to raise the salaries of judges rejected by Kentucky Senate; divorce bill; [Louisville, Kentucky], Cincinnati [Ohio] and Charleston [South

Carolina] railroad charter; harmony in Frankfort; [Henry] Clay's letter accepting senatorship. A. L. S. 2 p.

1836 FEB. 3 **Marshall,** H[umphrey]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His pension memorial to Congress; desires to know the cause of its delay; opinion on his claims. A. L. S. 3 p.

1836 FEB. 11 **Brown,** Orlando. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Crittenden's maiden speech; how the news was received by Crittenden's family; character of [Willie P.] Mangum; passage of the [Louisville], Cincinnati and Charleston railroad bill; bill borrowing and appropriating a million dollars passed; State elections and candidates. A. L. S. 4 p.

1836 FEB. 27 **Marshall,** H[umphrey]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His pension claim; criticizes actions of [J. L.] Edwards; Marshall's previous statement and knowledge of the character of Mrs. [Andrew] Jackson; affairs with France; slavery in District of Columbia. A. L. S. 3 p.

1836 MAR. 4 **Washington L[iterary] Society,** of Washington College, Washington, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Notification of having made him an honorary member, and congratulating him for the faithful discharge of his duties to the public. L. S. by J. F. Irons, A. Jones, in one handwriting, and T. McGiffin. 1 p.

1836 MAR. 8 **Athenian Society,** of Indiana College. Bloomington, Indiana. To Crittenden. Notification of election as honorary member and invitation to deliver an address on last Wednesday in September. L. S. by J. W. Lowe, A. J. Thickstun, and M. M. Campbell, all in one handwriting. 2 p.

1836 MAR. 27 **Marshall,** H[umphrey]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His pension claim before Congress; wishes to know cause of delay; condemns J. L. Edwards; political condition of the country under present administration. 2 A. L's. S. 2 p. and 4 p.

1836 APR. 5 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Notification of appointment as representative of Kentucky to a convention to meet in Knoxville,

Tenn., July 4th, to consider the construction of the [Louisville, Cincinnati and Charleston] Railroad. A. L. S. 2 p.

1836 May 3 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[reston]. Lancaster, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. [James] Clark's gubernatorial campaign; criticism of Clark; comparison of [Daniel] Webster with [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 7 p. Printed (in part): Coleman, Life of Crittenden Phila., 1871, I, 98.

1836 June 3 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To Mrs. J. B. Whiting. Unsuccessful endeavor to have her husband stationed at Louisville. A. L. S. 2 p.

1836 July 13 **Woodford County** Citizens. Versailles, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden, Lexington, Kentucky. Invitation to a public dinner to be given in his honor; praise. L. S. by 9 names in one handwriting as a committee. 1. p.

1836 July 18 **Franklin County** Citizens. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden, [Frankfort, Kentucky]. Invitation to a public dinner; great praise. L. S. by 10 signatures as a committee.

1836 Aug. 2 **Reily,** John. Berlin, [Germany]. To Crittenden. Leaves Berlin for St. Petersburg; expensive living at St. Petersburg; cost of furs and travel; St. Petersburg's growing importance as a consular station; desires diplomatic mission in Germany. A. L. S. 3 p.

1836 Aug. 3 **Pope,** Nathaniel. Kaskaskia, Illinois. To Crittenden. Appreciations for favors; condemns [Benjamin W.] Leigh for his attitude relative to claims on Virginia; Illinois elections; surplus revenue and popularity of [Henry] Clay's land bill; condemns exaction of specie for public lands; believes [William H.] Ashley is elected Governor of Missouri. A. L. S. 3 p.

1836 Nov. 13 **Railey,** Randolph, Jr. Versailles, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Inquiry relative to disposal by Railey of money received from [William D.] Young for Crittenden; other legal business; Railey leaves for Mississippi; hopes [William Henry] Harrison will be elected. A. L. S. 1 p.

1836 Nov. 20 **Pope,** Nathaniel. Kaskaskia, Illinois. To Crittenden, Washington, [D. C.] Favorable intelligence as to the Presidential election in various states; sends additional testimony for Pope's bill before Congress; purposes to be elected to the Senate in December. A. L. S. 2 p.

1836 Dec. 10 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To T[homas] L[eonidas] Crittenden, [New Orleans, Louisiana?] Location of various members of the family throughout the country; extended advice as to his character, habits, and behavior. A. L. S. 8 p. Printed in part: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 99.

[1836?] **Taylor,** Z[achary]. To [Abijah] Mann, [Jr.] Full and lengthy discussion approving Mann's course in introducing to Congress resolution to do away with General in Chief of the Army and equalizing the pay of officers of the Army and Navy. L. S. 52 p. Marked "Copy."

[1836?] **Porter,** A[lexander]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Texas and Sam Houston's victory before the Senate; three private bills, one for a pension. A. L. S. 2 p.

1837 Jan. 11 **Butler,** B[enjamin] F[ranklin]. [Washington, D. C.] Circular stating that the War Department has stocks and bonds belonging to Indian tribes and that the Commissioner of Indian Affairs has entire charge of this business. Copy.

1837 Jan. 16 **Pope,** Nathaniel. Kaskaskia, Illinois. To Crittenden. Pope's claims before Congress presented by [Lewis Fields] Linn; Crittenden's speech in answer to [Thomas Hart] Benton; salary of district judges and comparative value of same to ten years past. A. L. S. 3 p.

1837 Jan. 28 **Harris,** C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To John Tilford, Lexington, Kentucky. Funds of Indians on hand for buying state bonds. Copy. On same document with Butler Circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 Jan. 30 **Dudley,** P[eter]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To [Henry] Clay and Crittenden. Previous transmission to Secretary of War of an application to Congress for indemnity for loss in cost of equipping the Regiment of Volunteer mounted gunners of

Kentucky in service of the U. S. [in war of 1812]. A. L. S. 1 p.

1837 Feb. 4 **Meade,** H[odijah] B. Hermitage, [Virginia.] To Crittenden. Claim in Congress for half pay due his father for Revolutionary War services; condemn's Virginia's Senators. A. L. S. 2 p.

1837 Mar. 9 **Harris,** C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To R[ichard] M[entor] Johnson. No funds at present for purchasing bonds of Northern Bank of Kentucky; will have funds within six months. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 Mar. 20 **Harris,** C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To John Tilford, Lexington, Kentucky. Circular stating that the Office of Indian Affairs frequently has funds for purchase of State stocks, giving manner of purchase. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 Mar. 21 **Johnson,** Richard M[entor]. [Lexington, Kentucky]. To John Tilford. C[arey] A. Harris will purchase State bonds during the coming summer. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 Mar. 21 **Johnson,** Richard M[entor]. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To C[arey] A. Harris, [Washington, D. C.] Bonds for sale are for State of Kentucky and not for bank, but has informed Major [John] Tilford that the sale is closed; Northern Bank has agreed to dispose of bonds; importance of giving Western States advantages of public money; bonds for previous sale will be forwarded. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11 1837.

1837 Apr. 4 **Harris,** C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To John Tilford, Lexington, Kentucky. Bonds received, insufficient funds for purchasing all, but can do so within few days. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 May 9 **Eakin,** James. [Washington, D. C.] To John Tilford, Lexington, Kentucky. Remittance of amount due for Kentucky State bonds purchased for Indians. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 May 9 **Harris,** C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To John Tilford, Lexington, Kentucky. Transmission of money for Kentucky [State] bonds. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 May 12 **Harris,** C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To John Tilford, Lexington, Kentucky. Secretary of the Treasury on account of the derangement of monied affairs in New York declines making amount of [Kentucky State] bonds payable there. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 May 17 **Harris,** C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To James Clark, Frankfort, Kentucky. Interest on Kentucky State bonds will be accepted only in gold or silver or its equivalent. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 June 7 **Pope,** Nathaniel. Kaskaskie, Illinois. To Crittenden. Disappointed in not meeting Crittenden in St. Louis; extra session of Congress; [Thomas Hart] Benton, currency and the U. S. Bank. A. L. S. 3 p.

1837 June 27 **Victoria,** Queen of Great Britain. To [Andrew Jackson] President of the United States. Commission of Henry Stephen Fox as Minister Plenipotentiary to the United States. Copy. 3 p. Certification by Daniel Webster. Department of State seal attached. 1 p.

1837 June 28 **Harris,** C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To J[ames] T. Morehead, Frankfort, Kentucky. On account of derangement of money affairs of the county, the [War] Department can not fulfil its provisional arrangement for purchase of Kentucky State bonds. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 June 30 **Marshall,** J[ohn] J[ay]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Claim of Mrs. Innes against Marshall; McKinney's suit against Marshall. A. L. S. 2 p.

1837 July 2 **Porter,** A[lexander]. Oak Lawn, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Character of circuit judge of Louisiana; condition of the currency; Whigs in Congress should not propose a national bank. A. L. S. 3 p.

1837 July 14 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To S[amuel] S[mith] Nicholas. Nicholas' speech at Louisville relative to currency and banks. Copy. 1 p.

1837 July 31 **Johnson**, Richard M[entor]. White Sulphur Springs, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Annoyed by the suit of Dorr, and desires [William] Owsley as counsel; fee in steamboat *Providence* suit. A. L. S. 1 p.

1837 Aug. 16 **Bullock**, J[ames] M. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Gives disposition made of surplus revenue of the United States deposited with the State of Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1837 Sept. 11 **Porter**, A[lexander]. Oak Lawn, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Effect of recent elections on President Van Buren's message; decline of the Jackson party. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1837] Sept. 27 **Crittenden**, [John Jordan]. Speech delivered in U. S. Senate on the proposed financial system. Copy sent by G[ales] & S[eaton], printers, for correction. 29 p.

1837 Oct. 5 **Tilford**, John. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To R[ichard] M[entor] Johnson, [Washington, D. C.] [War Department's] inability to purchase Kentucky State bonds; wishes to know when it will be able to do so. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

[1837] Oct. 12 **Crittenden**, [John Jordan]. Speech delivered in U. S. Senate on constitutionality of laws on Bankruptcy. Copy sent by G[ales] & S[eaton], printers, for correction. 19 p.

1837 Oct. 17 **Harris**, C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To John Tilford, Lexington, Kentucky. War Department is arranging to carry out its agreement to purchase Kentucky State bonds. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 Nov. 15 **White**, Joseph M. New York. To Crittenden. Sends Crittenden two baskets of champagne. A. L. S. 1 p.

1837 Dec. 1 **Huston**, Felix. Vicksburg, [Mississippi]. To Crittenden. Introduces [Sergeant Smith] Prentiss. A. L. S. 1 p.

1837 Dec. 8 **Stevenson**, Thomas B. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Appointment of Stevenson by the

Franklin Agricultural Society to prepare a memorial to Kentucky Legislature to enact a law providing for geological survey of the State; requests information to be used in same. A. L. S. 1 p.

1837 Dec. 10 **Dorman,** C. P. Lexington, Virginia. To Crittenden. [Whig] victories in New York; Van Buren's message undignified; Whigs and Jackson party of Virginia desire that [Henry] Clay succeed Van Buren; has quit public life. A. L. S. 2 p.

1837 Dec. 12 **Stevenson,** Thomas B. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Geological survey law up before Kentucky Legislature; desires plan of the Massachusetts Agricultural Society; Van Buren's message. A. L. S. 1 p.

1837 Dec. 19 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Asks cooperation in procuring appointment of Barton S. Alexander as a cadet [to West Point]; the Convention Bill debated in the Kentucky Legislature. A. L. S. 2 p.

1837 Dec. 20 **Brown,** O[rlando]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Passage of the Convention Bill by Kentucky Legislature; probable result. A. L. S. 1 p.

1837 Dec. 25 **Tilford,** John. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To C[arey] A. Harris, Washington, D. C. Kentucky Legislature desires of Governor [James] Clark information in regard to sale of [Kentucky] State bonds; wishes time named when the money for bonds can be expected; more Kentucky bonds for disposal. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1837 Dec. 31 **Owsley,** William. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Requests Crittenden to subscribe for the Baltimore "Patriot" for him; probable result of the Convention bill. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1837?] **Cass,** Lew[is]. Brief and argument to Congress for correcting pension of Thomas Quartrill. Copy. 3 p.

1838 Jan. 1 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Memoranda of judgment of [Mrs.] Innes *vs.* [John J.] Marshall. A. D. S. 1 p.

1838 Jan. 3 **Harris,** C[arey] A. [Washington, D. C.] To John Tilford, Lexington, Kentucky. As soon as treaties before the Senate are passed the Kentucky State

bonds can be taken; more Indian funds for bonds. Copy. On same document with Butler circular, Jan. 11, 1837.

1838 JAN. 7 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To O[rlando] Brown, [Louisville, Kentucky]. Letter of [John] Calhoun; Brown's explanation to [Henry] Clay; recommends Kentucky's attitude towards [Henry] Clay and William Henry Harrison for Presidency; disapproves Convention bill in Kentucky. Copy. 4 p.

1838 JAN. 13 **Wickliffe,** C[harles] A[nderson]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Opposition to Jackson and Van Buren administrations; convention bill not approved by the people; [James] Guthrie's allegiance to Van Buren; opinion of John C. Calhoun. A. L. S. 2 p.

1838 JAN. 24 **Brown,** Mason. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. School affairs of Robert [Henry Crittenden]; constitutional convention will fail; Legislature arranges for free school and water supply by lottery. A. L. S. 2 p.

1838 JAN. 31 **Johnson,** Richard M[entor]. [Washington, D. C.?] To Crittenden. Gratitude for favors; will pay him for trouble in compromising suit as to the steamboat *Providence*. A. L. S. 1 p.

1838 FEB. 4 **Noland,** C. F. M. Batesville, Arkansas. To Crittenden. Whig's interest in abolition; denounces John C. Calhoun and South Carolina; newspaper indorsement of [Henry] Clay for President; Arkansas Legislature. A. L. S. 1 p.

1838 FEB. 5 **Johnson,** Richard M[entor]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Sorry he can not send a greater sum of money. A. L. S. 1 p.

1838 FEB. 19 **Brown,** Mason. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Praise for work of last [Kentucky] Legislature; condemns convention bill; newspapers will oppose convention if they speak at all, but "Journal's" course not known; [Henry] Clay's increasing popularity. A. L. S. 5 p.

1838 FEB. 20 **Duncan,** Garnett. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Encloses a missive for President [Van Buren]; welfare of [Thomas L. Crittenden] who has abandoned his trip to Texas; praise for Mrs. Chapman Coleman and her affection for her father

[Crittenden]; Kentucky banks again in operation. A. L. S. 3 p.

1838 FEB. 22 **Wingate,** Thomas S. Shelby County, Kentucky. To Henry Clay and Crittenden. Transmits resolutions of the Clear Creek Academy Polemic Society approving the talents and exertions of, and expressing confidence in Clay and Crittenden and sanctioning the legislature's nomination of Henry Clay for President and pledging their support. A. L. S. 2 p.

1838 FEB. 22 **Crittenden,** [John Jordan]. Speech delivered in the U. S. Senate in opposition to the subtreasury. Reporter's copy. 55 p.

1838 MAR. 1 **Pope,** Nathaniel. Kaskaskia, Illinois. To Crittenden. Pleased with Crittenden's speech on [John C.] Calhoun's abstractions; will support [Henry] Clay as a candidate for President; preemption law; insincerity of the supporters of the subtreasury; Pope's bill before Congress. A. L. S. 3 p.

1838 MAR. 9 **Tucker,** [Nathaniel] B[everly]. Williamsburg, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Introducing Dr. Peachy; invitation to join in the celebration at Williamsburg, Virginia, of Virginia's Declaration of Independence on May 15th; college days. A. L. S. 1 p.

1838 MAR. 9 **Johnson,** Francis. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Political effect of duel between [William J.] Graves and [Jonathan] Cilley; the Kentucky Constitutional Convention as a party question; subtreasury scheme; [Henry] Clay and other candidates for Presidency; time for national convention. A. L. S. 3 p.

1838 MAR. 9 **Porter,** A[lexander]. Oak Lawn, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Duel between [William J.] Graves and [Jonathan] Cilley. Appointment of Porter as a delegate to the National Whig Convention; time and place of holding same; rejoices over [Henry] Clay's chances for success. A. L. S. 2 p.

1838 MAR. 12 **Forsyth,** John. Washington, [D. C.] To Andrew Stevenson, [London, England]. Detailed account of burning of the steamboat *Caroline* by the British at Schlosser, New York, for presentation to Great Britain for redress. Copy. 11 p. Certificate by Daniel Webster with Department of State seal attached. 1 p.

1838 Mar. 24 **Hunt,** Memucan. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden Texas's fertility and productiveness necessitates. system of paper credit and requests Crittenden to furnish an abstract of a plan for such. A. L. S. 4 p.

1838 Apr. 12 **Clark,** James. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Requests Crittenden and Richard M[entor] Johnson to compel the War Department to fulfill a contract wherein Kentucky agreed to sell Internal Improvement bonds to C[arey] A. Harris as Commissioner of Indian Affairs. L. S. 3 p.

1838 Apr. 28 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Thomas L[eonidas] Crittenden, Louisville, Kentucky. Advice, personal, and family matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

1838 May 10 **Ingersoll,** J[oseph] R[eed]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Introduces Charles S[tewart] Davies, who goes to Washington relative to the boundary dispute between Maine and Canada. A. L. S. 1 p.

1838 May 16 **Butler,** A[nthony]. Augusta, Georgia. To Crittenden. Departure from Washington; affairs with [Henry] Clay; Resumes practice of law and requests return of law books loaned to Crittenden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1838 June 4 **William & Mary College students.** [Williamsburg, Virginia.] To Crittenden. Invitation to a celebration on July 4. L. S. by 5 names in one handwriting.

1838 June 5 **Leigh,** B[enjamin] W[atkins]. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Leigh's illness; interest in Presidential candidates; prefers [Henry] Clay; [John C.] Calhoun's pseudo-disclosure to the Richmond Whig. A. L. S. 4 p

[1838?] [July 10] **N**[icholas], S[amuel] S[mith]. Louisville, Kentucky To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Sends scheme for [Henry] Clay to effect a compromise with [Martin] Van Buren. A. L. S. 2 p.

1838 July 15 **Tallmadge,** N[athaniel] P[itcher]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden Publication of his "Remarks" on [Silas] Wright's proposition to repeal the Deposit act. A. L. S. 1 p.

1838 July 16 **Benson,** John S. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Desires the privilege of writing Crittenden's biography. A. L. S. 3 p.

1838 JULY 31 **Woodford County** Citizens. Versailles, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Invitation to a public dinner to be given to H[enry] Clay, Crittenden, and Richard Hawes on August 10. L. S. by 7 names in one handwriting.

1838 SEPT. 1 **White,** Hugh L[awson]. Freeland, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Their friendship; Jacksonism is like small pox; fever in Tennessee. A. L. S. 3 p.

1838 SEPT. [**Crittenden,** John Jordan]. Brief in the case of Curd Steel et al. *vs.* Wallace Bennett. A. D. 35 p.

1838 OCT. 29 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To James Brestow, Lexington, Kentucky. Crittenden's suit against Brestow on a promissory note. A. L. S. 2 p.

1838 NOV. 23 **Slaughter,** Phil. Culpeper, Virginia. To Crittenden, Washington, D. C. Service with Crittenden's father in the War of the Revolution; introduces John B. Dade, an applicant for appointment as doorkeeper of the Senate. A. L. S. 1 p.

1838 DEC. 3 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To Maria K. Crittenden. Safe arrival; upsetting of coach; temporarily at Brown's Tavern. A. L. S. 2 p.

1838 DEC. 17 **Thornton,** Mrs. Mobile, Alabama. To Critterden. Safe arrival; family matters. A. L. 3 p.

1839 JAN. 2 **Breckinridge,** John. Albany, [New York]. To Crittenden. Desires autographs for William B. Sprague of Crittenden and of other prominent Kentuckians. A. L. S. 2 p.

1839 JAN. 2 **Sprague,** W[illiam] B. Albany, New York. To Crittenden. Desires autographs of well-known persons of Kentucky. A. L. S. 1 p.

1839 JAN. 2 **Wickliffe,** R[obert]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Suit of Poage *vs.* Waldron; condition of the banks in Kentucky; affairs in the Kentucky Legislature. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1839] JAN. 29 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To M[aria] K. C[rittenden]. Sends shell presented by Capt. Armstrong, in care of [Albert T.] Burnley; recent assembly ball; family matters; [Garrett] Davis not a doubtful friend. A. L. S. 3 p.

1839 FEB. 28 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To M[aria] K. C[rittenden]. Departure for home; debate in the Senate; marriage of [Joseph Rogers]

Underwood to [Elizabeth] Cox. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 109.

1839 MAR. 3 **Love,** James. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Payment to [Albert T.] Burnley; departure for Texas; rebellion in Mexico; pushing the Indian westward; securing a loan for Texas; comparison of affairs in the United States with those in Texas. A. L. S. 3 p.

1839 APR. 1 **Gales & Seaton.** Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Request for printing speech made by Crittenden in favor of his own bill against spoils system. A. L. S. 1 p.

1839 APR. 5 **Vicksburg Citizens.** Mississippi. To Crittenden, Vicksburg, Mississippi. Invitation to a public dinner. L. S. by 7 signatures, as a committee. 1 p.

1839 APR. 16 **Prentiss,** S[ergeant] S[mith]. Vicksburg, Mississippi. To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Incloses money for Morris; disappointed at missing Crittenden at Vicksburg and Natchez; hopeful of Whig success in Mississippi. A. L. S. 2 p.

1839 APR. 19 **Maysville Athenæum.** Maysville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Notification of Crittenden's election as an honorary member. A. L. S. by William P. Connell, Corresponding Secretary.

1839 APR. 19 **Dickins,** Asbury. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Circular letter transmitting "The Collection of Acts of Congress and Official Instructions and Opinions Respecting Public Lands," in two volumes. Printed circular.

1839 MAY 20 **Chamberlain and Demologian Societies** of Centre College. Danville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver address in September. L. S. by Presley Ewing and Thomas H. Wallace. 1 p.

1839 MAY 23 **William and Mary College Students.** [Williamsburg, Virginia.] To Crittenden. Invitation to a dinner on July 4th. L. S. by seven names in one handwriting, as a committee. 1 p.

1839 JUNE 11 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Albert T. Burnley. Burnley's proposed trip to Europe [to secure money for Texas]; scarcity of money in London; [Clement] Biddle may aid Burnley; encouraged by Virginia election returns. Copy. 3 p.

1839 JUNE 24 **Ewing,** Philemon B. Oxford, Ohio. To Crittenden. Notification of election as honorary member of the Miami L[iterary?] Society of Miami University. A. L. S. 1 p.

1839 JULY 12 **Campbell,** John. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. High appreciation of Crittenden's letter and good opinion; corroboration of [Benjamin] Watkins Leigh's very adverse opinion of the Van Burenites, and will endeavor to defeat them. A. L. S. 2 p.

1839 JULY 12 **Hamilton,** A[lexander]. New York. To Crittenden. Incloses a caricature showing the antipathy of the pure democracy of the North to Southern interests; abolition cause; advocates a visit by [Henry] Clay through the North; troubles attributable to the subtreasury; the [New York] Herald adverse to Whigs, but destroying popularity of [Van Buren]. A. L. S. 4 p.

1839 AUG. 20 **Marshall,** J[ohn] J[ay]. Rosedale, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Marshall's financial difficulties; prospects of the different Whig candidates for Presidential nomination. A. L. S. 3 p.

1839 SEPT. 23 **Tennessee Whigs.** Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Invitation from the Whig Mechanics and young men of Nashville and the General Whig Committee of Davidson County, Tennessee, to visit Tennessee in company with [Henry] Clay. L. S. by seven signatures. 1 p.

1839 OCT. 19 **Connell,** William P. Maysville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Explanation for not previously notifying Crittenden of his election as an honorary member of the Maysville Athenæum. A. L. S. 1 p.

1839 DEC. 4 **Campbell,** John. Abingdon, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Writings for the press; the press in Abingdon; Virginia in the next Presidential election; opposition to Van Buren. A. L. S. 2 p.

1839 DEC. 13 **Parmalee,** S. N. New York. Receipt to Crittenden. Payment for engraving of "the last days of Daniel Webster." D. S. 1 p.

1839 DEC. 16 **Johnson,** Francis. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden, Washington, [D. C.] Surprised at the result of the Harrisburg convention; behavior of the Kentucky delegation; hostility to the present ad-

ministration; comparison of [John] Tyler with [Nathaniel P.] Tallmadge; approves action of [John Quincy] Adams. A. L. S. 2 p.

1839 Dec. 18 **Porter,** A[lexander]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Nomination of [William Henry] Harrison for President; predicts defeat for the Whigs; sympathy for [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 1 p.

1839 Dec. 21 **Bullitt,** A[lexander] C. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Disappointment over the nomination of [William Henry] Harrison; uphill work to produce a Harrison sensation in the South; cause of the nomination in preference to [Henry] Clay; Whig prospects. A. L. S. 4 p.

1839 Dec. 21 **Brown,** O[rlando]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. [Henry] Clay's noble attitude toward the nomination of [William Henry] Harrison; Chilton Allen and contest for governorship in Kentucky; abolitionists; legislative matters; internal improvements; sermon of Robert [Jefferson] Breckinridge; Preston family history. A. L. S. 4 p.

1839 Dec. 30 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To [Albert T.] Burnley. Urges Burnley to proceed to Texas immediately; rejection by Texas Senate of appointment of [Richard G.] Dunlap as minister to U. S. Copy. 3 p.

[1839] **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Brief in suit of Carry McConnell against William Wallace. A. D. S. 4 p.

[183–?] Dec. 13 **Hudson,** Robert E. New York. To Crittenden. Trial of a new telegraph system in New York; invitation to send a representative; Level one of the inventors; its possibilities. A. L. S. 4 p.

1840 Jan. 2 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To M[aria] K. C[rittenden]. Time of her departure for Washington; his visit to the President [Van Buren]; gossip. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 116.

1840 Jan. 5 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To M[aria] K. C[rittenden]. Severeness of the winter; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1840 Jan. 8 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To M[aria] K. C[rittenden]. Her health; personals. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 116.

1840 JAN. 9 **Goethian Literary Society** of Marshall College. Mercersburg, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Notification of his election as an honorary member. L. S. by 3 names in one handwriting as a committee. 1 p.

1840 JAN. 10 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Henry Clay. Observations in Europe; status of the debts and credit of the separate States of the U. S. abroad is poor; rates of interest to the States compared with that charged England and Holland; plan for establishing credit by the U. S. paying the debts of the States from sale of public land; favors amending the Constitution and preventing States from borrowing money; result of Burnley's mission abroad for obtaining loan for Texas A L. S. 8 p.

1840 JAN. 22 **Thompson,** James M. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Friendship of John M[inor] Botts towards Crittenden relative to Presidential nomination. A. L. S. 2 p.

1840 JAN. 27 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To A[nn] M[ary] B[utler] Coleman. Dullness in Washington during holiday season occasioned by ignorance in the art of compounding eggnogs; personals. Copy. 1 p.

1840 FEB. 21 **Webster,** Daniel. Washington, [D. C.] To R[obert] P[reston] Letcher. Endeavors to obtain the release of [William Logan?] Crittenden; necessity of a sound currency; has no desire to go abroad. Copy. 1 p.

1840 MAR. 4 **Mayes,** Daniel. Jackson, [Mississippi]. To Crittenden. Law case for Judge Clifton; scarcity of money in Mississippi; deplorable condition of politics; praise for [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 3 p.

1840 MAR. 6 **Hamilton,** J[ames]. Charleston, South Carolina. To Crittenden. Encloses letter for [Albert T.] Burnley; awaits despatches from Texas before he starts for Europe; if the Mexicans cross the Rio Grande their army will be annihilated. A. L. S. 2 p.

1840 MAR. 23 **Schley,** W[illiam]. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Encloses five dollars; hopes Crittenden will fight the Van Burenites; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1840 APR. 2 **Second Presbyterian Church,** Trustees. Baltimore, [Maryland]. Resolutions of thanks to William Schley, J[ohn] J[ordan] Crittenden and W[illiam] C[ampbell] Preston for services in the trial of Rev. [Robert J.] Breckinridge. 3 p. Printed in part: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871, I, 129.

1840 MAY 1 **Tippecanoe Club,** Allegheny, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver an address. Printed circular. 1 p.

1840 MAY 21 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Lancaster, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Campaign through Kentucky for his election as Governor; favorable prospects; opposition by [Robert] French; [William Henry] Harrison gaining in this State; Van Buren party making no effort; friends of Governor [James K.] Polk using [Richard Mentor] Johnson badly. A. L. S. 3 p.

1840 JUNE 4 **Wilkinson, S.** Cadiz, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires receipt for fee sent; list of 48 persons to whom he requests [Whig] documents sent. A. L. S. 2 p.

1840 JUNE 4 **Green,** Duff. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Calling attention to article to appear in the "Pilot" that will prostrate [Amos] Kendall; circulation increasing. A. L. S. 2 p.

1840 JUNE 10 **Maryland Whigs,** First Congressional District. To Crittenden. Invitation to celebration of American Independence at Barren Creek Springs, Somerset County, Maryland. Printed circular. 1 p.

1840 JUNE 10 **Hanover County,** Virginia Citizens. To Crittenden. Invitation to attend with Henry Clay a public dinner at Taylorsville, Virginia. L. S. by 7 names in one handwriting. 1 p.

1840 JUNE 13 **Allnutt,** George R. W. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Requests copy of his speech in reply to Senator [William] Allen. A. L. S. 1 p.

1840 JUNE 13 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Dover, Delaware. To Crittenden. Requests him to attend a Whig meeting at Delaware City; "Old Tip" [William Henry Harrison] will carry Delaware; importance of Delaware Senatorial contest. A. L. S. 1 p.

1840 JUNE 14 **Thomson,** James W. Wilmington, [Delaware]. To Crittenden. Invitation to sojourn at his house with

[William Campbell] Preston while attending Whig political meetings in Delaware. A. L. S. 1 p.

1840 JUNE 16 **Pittsylvania County Whigs,** Danville, Virginia. To Crittenden. Invitation to attend with Waddy Thompson a public dinner at Danville, Virginia. L. S. by 12 names. 1 p.

1840 JUNE 16 **Pennsylvania [Whigs],** Dauphin County. To Crittenden. Invitation to Independence day celebration at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. L. S. by a committee. 1 p.

1840 JUNE 25 **Tucker,** [Nathaniel] B[everly] Williamsburg, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Refers to the genealogy of the Innes Family. A. L. S. 2 p.

1840 JULY 6 **Epelstyn,** Charles. Livingston, [New York]. To Nathaniel P[itcher] Tallmadge, Washington, [D. C.] Detailed account of the Whig celebration at Hudson on the 4th inst.; the eloquent address of [John Jordan] Crittenden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1840 JULY 22 **Tallmadge,** N[athaniel] P[itcher]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Incloses letter [from Charles Epelstyn, [July 6, 1840]. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1840] JULY 22 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Madisonville, [Kentucky]. To M[aria] K. C[rittenden]. Kind treatment received on his tour through Kentucky; speeches made; Whigs in Kentucky aroused. A. L. S. 2 p.

1840 OCT. 16 **Newton,** A[lbert]O. London, England. To E. P. Johnson. Charge of forgery against Newton; his business transactions and connection with the railroad company. Copy. 5 p.

1840 NOV. 20 **Corwin,** Thomas. Lebanon, Ohio. To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Construction of President Harrison's Cabinet; Crittenden and [Henry] Clay as Cabinet appointees; number of speeches made by Corwin; confidence in President Harrison. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 130.

1840 NOV. 30 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. [William Henry] Harrison's visit to Frankfort; effort made for appointment of Charles A Wickliffe as Postmaster General, and "The Young Duke" [Robert Wickliffe, Jr.], pri-

vate secretary; great feasting in Kentucky. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 131.

1840 Dec. 1 **Beaty,** Martin. Monticello, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Coalition against [Henry] Clay and his friends; opposition party to be molded by Amos Kendall; grounds upon which attack will be made. A. L. S. 2 p.

1840 Dec. 3 **Butler,** Pierce M. Columbia, South Carolina. To Crittenden. Congratulations upon the Whig success in Presidential election; hopes to see Crittenden at the head of the War Department or Attorney General; presents him with an imported mare. A. L. S. 4 p.

1840 Dec. 8 **Johnson,** Francis. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden, Washington, D. C. Opposition of the *Gazette* and the Marshall family to Crittenden's reelection to the U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 1 p.

1840 Dec. 13 **Jarnagin,** Spencer. Athens, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Thorough canvass, and its effect in Tennessee; ill health of [Andrew] Jackson and Felix Grundy; Jackson's support of Van Buren; another political battle will be waged in August; Crittenden offered place in Harrison's Cabinet; Jarnagin would accept an office under Harrison. A. L. S. 3 p.

1840 Dec. 13 **Clay,** Henry. Washington, [D. C.] To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. [William Henry] Harrison's offer to Clay of a place in the Cabinet; controversy between the State and the trust company. Copy. 1 p.

1840 Dec. 14 **L[etcher],** R[obert] P[erkins]. [Frankfort, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Crittenden's reelection to the U. S. Senate; political predictions of "The Old Duke" [Robert Wickliffe, Sr.]; the return of "The Young Duke's" [Robert Wickliffe, Jr.] scout after [William Henry] Harrison; fear that Charles A. Wickliffe will receive a foreign mission. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 132.

1840 Dec. 26 **Chinn,** R. H. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Desires appointment as district attorney; his faithfulness to the [Henry] Clay Whig party; B[alie] Peyton his only competitor. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1840?] [Crittenden, John Jordan.] Statement of the suit of John G. Nelson et al. *vs.* John J. Hill et al. for a debt. A. D. 2 p.

[1840?] **Tharp**, William. To Crittenden. Tharp's claim against the Government for losses while acting as sutler in the U. S. Army. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 JAN. 1 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Advice not to resign seat in the U. S. Senate until Cabinet position is accepted. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 134.

1841 JAN. 2 **Lawrence**, Abbott. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Relative to petition of Lawrence. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 JAN. 2 **Porter**, A[lexander]. Oak Lawn, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Congratulations on the Whig victory; report that Crittenden is to become Attorney General; President Van Buren's message to Congress and retirement; necessity of amendments to naturalization laws; number of imigrants coming to this country particularly from England and Ireland; plan for naturalization. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 JAN. 2 **Crittenden**, John Jordan. Washington, D. C. To R[obert] J. Breckinridge. Preservation of letter as evidence; identification of handwriting of father of Breckinridge. A. L. S. 1 p. BRECKINRIDGE.

1841 JAN. 6 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Urges Crittenden to accept place in [William Henry Harrison's] Cabinet, but until then to remain in the U. S. Senate; confidence of Harrison in Crittenden; opposition of the "Old Duke" [Robert Wickliffe, Sr.] to Letcher; disappointment of the "Young Duke" [Robert Wickliffe, Jr.] at not being made [private] secretary [to Harrison]. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 JAN. 7 **Lawrence**, Abbott. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Suggestions for the different places in the formation of President Harrison's Cabinet. A. L. S. 4 p.

1841 JAN. 8 **Swann**, Thomas T. Cumberland, Virginia. To Crittenden. Desires appointment for his son, George T.

Swann as marshal of the Southern District of Mississippi. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 Jan. 20 **Newton,** Mrs. Julia. Saint Georges, Delaware. To Crittenden. Requests assistance for her husband Albert O. Newton relative to his being in Kentucky on account of financial irregularities. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 Jan. 25 **Speed,** Thomas. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Encloses a copy of resolutions introduced in the Kentucky legislature by [John H.] McHenry intended to affect Crittenden; McHenry denies any intention of hurting Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1841] [Jan. 25] [**McHenry,** John H.] [Frankfort, Kentucky]. Resolutions introduced into Kentucky Legislature relative to Crittenden's intention not to accept his reelection to the U. S. Senate; the appointment and election of a successor; adjournment of the Legislature to meet in May. Copy. 1 p.

1841 Jan. 27 **Prentiss,** S[ergeant] S[mith]. Jackson, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Encloses brief in suit before the Supreme Court of the U. S. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 Jan. 29 **Brown,** Orlando. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Sketch of [Robert Perkins Letcher as] the Governor [of Kentucky]; opposition of the Duke [Robert Wickliffe, Sr.] to Letcher; negro bill killed in the Kentucky Senate; tax bill; internal improvements bill; resignation of Crittenden from the U. S. Senate; application of Brown for Governorship of Iowa; personals; locals. A. L. S. 5 p.

1841 Jan. 29 **Taylor,** Z[achary]. Baton Rouge, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Encloses letters for Col. [Charles Scott] Todd and General [William Henry] Harrison; Crittenden to use his discretion about delivering them; Taylor's interest in Harrison's administration. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 Feb. 1 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Urges the appointment of [Joseph] Eve [as chargé d'affaires] to Texas; the culpable maneuvering of a few restless spirits; opinion on the remarks of "old master" [Orlando Brown]; conversation between Brown and [James?] Harlan relative to the "Duke" [Robert Wickliffe, Sr.]

A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 142.

1841 Feb. 1 **Madison,** D[orothy] P[ayne]. Montpelier, [Virginia]. Will. Copy. 3 p.

[1841?] [Feb. 1?] **Madison,** D[orothy] P[ayne]. Montpelier, [Virginia]. Will. Copy. 1 p.

1841 Feb. 2 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. The newspaper attack of "Old Duke" [Robert Wickliffe] upon Crittenden; denunciation of Wickliffe and his followers; personals. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 142.

1841 Feb. 3 **Legaré,** H[ugh] S[winton]. Charleston, [South Carolina]. To Crittenden. Introduces Theodore Gaillard, who, owing to the death of inspector of customs at Charleston, has been placed in a most unfortunate position. Copy. 1 p.

1841 Apr. 10 **Chambers,** John. To Crittenden. Removal of J. C. Coleman as postmaster at Maysville and appointment of a successor. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 Feb. 9 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Recommends [Benjamin H.] Reeves for an appointment in Missouri to aid the people against Thomas [H.] Benton; election bill; tax bill; internal improvement bill; bank bill; threat of the "Old Duke" [Robert Wickliffe, Sr.] to resign from the legislature; gossip in regard to personal of [William Henry] Harrison's Cabinet. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 145.

1841 Feb. 16 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. To Robert J. Breckinridge, Baltimore, Maryland. Has forwarded letters to Hunt & Brand; belligerency of Wickliffe. A. L. S. 1 p. Breckinridge.

1841 Feb. 18 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. [Frankfort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Vote in Kentucky Legislature for U. S. Senate as successor to Crittenden; poll of yesterday enclosed; will write to Old Tip [William Henry Harrison] in behalf of Old Master [Orlando Brown]; regards to his old friend [James] Buchanan; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1841] Feb. 18 **Kentucky Legislature.** Poll of vote for U. S. Senator as successor to Crittenden.

[1841] FEB. 19 **[Crittenden,** John Jordan]. Bill submitted to U. S. Congress "To prevent the interference of certain office-holders in elections." Copy. 1 p.
The bill was defeated by a vote of 14 to 26.

1841 FEB. 19 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Adjournment of the legislature; election of [James Turner] Morchead to U. S. Senate to succeed Crittenden; is melancholy because of the adjournment; encloses letter to "Old Tip" [William Henry Harrison] recommending "Old Master" [Orlando Brown]. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 145.

1841 FEB. 21 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. [Frankfort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Fatal illness of Richard H. Menefee; comments upon President Harrison's Cabinet; recommends a U. S. bank. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 FEB. 22 **Hains,** James M. Powhatan, Virginia. To Crittenden. Desires an appointment for his son William in the Army or Navy; recommends H[odijah?] Mead for postmaster at Richmond. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 FEB. 26 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Humorous remarks concerning [Orlando Brown as] "Governor of Iowa"; office seekers; recommends Mick Davidson for an appointment; approves cabinet of "Old Tip" [William Henry Harrison]. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 FEB. 26 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Congratulations upon appointment as Attorney General of United States; would accept an office if it were tendered; his financial condition. A. L. S. 4 p.

1841 MAR. 2 **Thomas,** P. E. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Relative to a treaty with the Seneca Indians; a committee of Friends stand ready at any time to wait on the President with a memorial in behalf of the Senecas. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 MAR. 4 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. The disturbance in the gallery of U. S. Senate [on Feb. 22]; gratitude to Thomas [H.] Benton; the end of [Martin] Van Buren's reign; [John] Bell as Secretary of War. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 MAR. 4 **Graves,** W[illiam] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Introduces Andrew Smith who desires a clerkship of more pay. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 MAR. 11 **Ireland,** Joseph N. New York. To Crittenden. Hopes for a reconciliation between [Henry] Clay and [William Rufus] King and urges Crittenden to intercede and prevent a duel; desires Crittenden's autograph. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 MAR. 12 **Fox,** H[enry] S[tephen]. Washington, [D. C.] To Daniel Webster. Demand for the release of Alexander McLeod, a citizen of Canada, who is held prisoner by state of New York on charge of arson and murder and concerned in the capture of the *Caroline;* his act was not individual but an international affair. Copy. 9 p. Attestation by Daniel Webster. 1 p. With seal of state attached.

1841 MAR. 13 **McNairy,** Boyd. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Correspondence with Clay; application for a position; [James C.] Jones is Whig candidate for Governor and will "demolish Jimmy [James K.] Polk." A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 MAR. 14 **Carneal,** Thomas D[avis]. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Crittenden. Recommends continuance of William Ward in General Land Office. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 MAR. 18 **Clarke,** Charles Berkley. Jacksonville, Illinois. To William H[enry] Harrison. Encloses petition for removal of present postmaster [John Cooper] at Jacksonville and appointment of Willis Tandy; charges against the postmaster and military record of Tandy in war of 1812. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 MAR. 18 **Jacksonville** Citizens, Illinois. To [Francis Granger]. [Washington, D. C.] Petition for the removal of John Coopper and appointment of Captain Willis Tandy as postmaster of Jacksonville, Illinois; reasons for the request. 2 Petitions. 1 p. and 3 p., 37 and 57 signatures, respectively.

1841 MAR. 20 **White,** John. Richmond, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Kentucky politics; urges appointment of [Joseph] Eve [as chargé d'affaires to Texas]; prospects of "Old Duke" [Robert Wickliffe, Sr.] A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 MAR. 23 **Nicholas,** S[amuel] S[mith]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Encloses letters of [John ?] Marshall

and [William Harris?] Crawford to be published by Gales & Seaton; extra session of Congress; U. S. bank. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 Mar. 24 **Butler,** Pierce M[ason]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Ill treatment from [William Campbell] Preston; withdrawal of application for collector at Charleston, South Carolina; application for office of Marshal of Middle District of Florida; military service in Florida. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 Mar. 25 **White,** John. Barbourville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Distress of [Joseph] Eve; urges that he receive an appointment promptly [as chargé d'affaires to Texas]. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 Mar. 26 **Westervelt,** Harman C. New York. To Crittenden. Plot to defeat [Henry] Clay in national convention; [Daniel] Webster's supporters antagonistic to Clay's influence; severe criticism in detail on appointments of [William Henry] Harrison; abolitionists; disapproval of law which abolished imprisonment for debt. A. L. S. 7 p.

1841 Apr. 10. **Chambers,** John. To Crittenden. Conduct of [J. C.] Coleman, postmaster at Maysville. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 Apr. 12 **Edwards,** Ogden. New York. To Crittenden. No friend of [Henry] Clay has received an appointment in New York City from present administration; Ogden's application for office of Marshal of New York; criticism of [Nathaniel Pitcher] Tallmadge. A. L. S. 5 p.

1841 Apr. 15 **White,** John. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. His extreme solicitude for [Joseph] Eve; effect of the death of [William Henry] Harrison on the country; Crittenden is in a position to become leader of the Administration. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 Apr. 23 **Campbell,** Robert R. Tuscaloosa, Alabama. To Crittenden. Criticises appointment of collector of customs at Mobile; Dr. Perrine is a worthy man but has no influence. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 May 1 **Fisher,** Charles. Washington [D. C.] Affidavit that Jesse Hoyt refused to account for moneys received as Collector of Customs for New York. Copy. 1 p.

1841 May 2 **Bell,** John. Washington, D. C. To [Robert Perkins] Letcher. Comments on President Tyler; Cabinet affairs; personal matters; appointment of Commissioner of Indian Affairs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 May 10 **Payne**, H. C. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Differences between [Henry] Clay and R[obert] Wickliffe, Sr. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 May 12 **Morgan**, Charles W. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Disappointed at not receiving command of the Mediterranean Squadron, U. S. Navy; incloses a letter to be delivered to [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 May 14 **Birney**, James G. New York. To Crittenden. Introducing Joseph Sturge, of England; Sturge's efforts in the abolition of slavery in the British colonies. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 May 16 **Johnson**, Richard M[entor]. White Sulphur, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. His debt due the Metropolis Bank; loans desired from Gunton; condition of Arkansas stock. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 May 19 **Curtis**, Edward. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. The preemption right of Norton & McDonald in Wisconsin; cause of delayed decision in the case. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 May 23 **Peyton**, Balie. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Appreciation for his friends; fees of district attorneys; bank bill before Congress. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 May 25 **Bulloch**, J. M. New York. To Crittenden. Recommends Dewit Bloodgood for consulate at Liverpool; his endeavors for the Whig cause in New York; recommends Epy Sargent for position abroad. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 May 25 **Russell**, William Henry. Bluffton, Missouri. To Crittenden. Recommends certain citizens of Missouri as friends of [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 4 p.

1841 May 26 **Whetmore**, Robert H. New York. To Crittenden. Comments on the appointment of Edward Curtis, Collector of the Port of New York. A. L. S. 4 p.

1841 May 31 **Hoffman**, O[gden]. New York. To Crittenden. Prosecution of Jesse Hoyt, former collector of the port of New York; full statement of the proceedings and delay in the case; disposition of the money received by Hoyt. A. L. S. 6 p.

1841 May 31 **Seward**, William H[enry]. Albany, New York. To Crittenden. The Alexander McLeod case; correspondence with the President; his ideas and desire to have a mutual understanding. L. S. 4 p.

1841 June 13 **N**[icholas], S[amuel] S[mith]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Error of the Secretary of State [Daniel Webster] in claiming for the President [John Tyler] the power to order a nolle prosequi in criminal cases; Webster's letter to [Henry Stephen] Fox in regard to the McLeod case is too tame a response to the demand of Great Britain; Nicholas's good opinion of the Secretary of the Treasury [Thomas Ewing]. A. L. S. 5 p.

1841 June 19 **L**[etcher], R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Requests Crittenden to bring about an interview for [James] Guthrie with [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1841] [June] [**Nicholas**, Samuel Smith]. Project for a national bank. A. D. 8 p.

1841 July 7 **Eve**, Joseph. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Delay in New Orleans on his journey to Galveston, Texas; manner and customs of inhabitants of New Orleans; rumor of discord between President [Tyler] and his Cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 July 9 **N**[icholas], S[amuel] S[mith]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Exertions [of John Tyler and Daniel Webster] to defeat the Bank Bill; objects to resignation of Crittenden and [John] Bell from the Cabinet; attitude of Webster toward [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 5 p.

1841 July 12 **Marshall**, Thomas F. To Crittenden. Requests that he endorse two bills for certain amounts payable in Washington; pecuniary embarrassment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 July 31 **L**[etcher], R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Desires bill for trip to Philadelphia; ignorance as to the fate of the Bank Bill; attitude of various members of the Cabinet; [John] Tyler acting against the principles which brought him into office. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 Aug. 1 **N**[icholas], S[amuel] S[mith]. Winchester, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Advises Crittenden to follow the course of his party as to resigning from the Cabinet; attitude of President Tyler toward the Bank Bill; possibility of a veto. A. L. S. 5 p.

1841 Aug. 16 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To Henry Clay. President [Tyler] concedes the power of the [National Bank] to establish agen-

cies, etc.; general ideas on the subject. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 159.

1841 Aug. 25 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To Chapman Coleman. President [Tyler] having vetoed one bill to create a National Bank, effort is being made to establish another; advantages of the proposed bank. Copy. 1 p.

1841 Aug. 26 **Hawes,** R[ichard]. Winchester, Kentucky. To Crittenden. President Tyler's veto of the Bank Bill; thinks Tyler is with the Whigs on other matters; Crittenden should remain in the Cabinet unless other members should retire. A. L. S. 1 p.

1841 Aug. 27 **Combs,** Leslie. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Compares President Tyler with a wild, unruly horse; Crittenden should stay in the Cabinet until actually dismissed; feelings of the community toward Tyler. A. L. S. 2 p.

1841 Sept. 3 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Veto of the Bank Bill by President Tyler; Tyler's advisers; attitude of his Cabinet; pleased at the conduct of [Daniel] Webster; condition of Orlando [Brown]. A. L. S. 6 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 160.

1841 Sept. 4 **Johnson,** Reverdy. Baltimore. To Crittenden. Rumor that President Tyler will sign the Bank Bill; attitude of the Cabinet; Tyler's effort to form a new Cabinet. A. L. S. 5 p.

1841 Sept. 5 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Feeling toward President Tyler and his advisers; admiration for [John Minor] Botts; Kentucky's welcome to Crittenden if he should return. A. L. S. 5 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 162.

1841 Sept. 11 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. Resignation of certain members of President Tyler's Cabinet, and probable successors; [Daniel] Webster remains to be turned out; attitude of the Whigs in Congress; personal feelings in the matter. A. L. S. 6 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 165.

1841 Sept. 13 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To E. Watson. Resignation of President Tyler's Cabinet; [Daniel] Webster alone remains; universally approved by the Whigs in Congress. Copy. 1 p.

1841 Sept. 15 **Johnson**, Reverdy. Baltimore. To Crittenden. Rumor that Crittenden will be offered a seat on the Bench of the U. S. Supreme Court if Justice John McLean should accept a cabinet office; desire of Whig friends to see Crittenden at the head of the Government; [Henry] Clay as a candidate for next Presidential election. A. L. S. 4 p.

1841 Oct. 7 **Morgan**, Charles W. Mahon, Island of Minorca. To Crittenden. His cruise in the Mediterranean; armament of various frigates; cost of wines. A. L. S. 3 p.

1841 Dec. 27 **Chambers**, John. Iowa City, Iowa. To Crittenden. Political gossip; political complexion of Iowa; desire to be admitted into the Union; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

[1841?] **Rumsey**, Edward. Greenville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Recommends appointment of Thomas C. Taylor as mail agent for Kentucky; character, qualifications. A. L. S. 1 p.

1842 Jan. 4 **Mazureau**, A[dolphe]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Notice that draft drawn by Crittenden and Henry Clay on Balie Peyton has been protested. D. S. 1 p.

1842 Jan. 9 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. Legal matters with the Schuylkill Bank; childishness of President Tyler and his ambition; [Daniel] "Webster's condition . . . seems to be even worse"; attitude of [Henry] Clay; is of opinion that Clay will soon resign from Congress. Copy. 5 p.

1842 Jan. 9 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. Correspondence with the Schuylkill Bank; unable to come to an understanding; litigation probably the only alternative. Copy. 2 p.

1842 Jan. 14 **Edwards**, Monroe. New York. To Crittenden. Desires to retain Crittenden as counsel; charges with which he is accused; testimony in his favor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 JAN. 22 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. [Frankfort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Legislature of Kentucky will soon send a memorial on the Schuylkill Bank fraud; endeavor to get [Hosea J.] Levis in Philadelphia. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 JAN. 22 **N[icholas],** S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Matters "concerning the bankruptcy of the Whig cabinet last summer"; offer of cabinet office to Louis McLean; admiration for McLean. A. L. S. 3 p. Mutilated.

1842 JAN. 26 **Randall,** J[osiah]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. All papers are executed; paid Watson's bill; difficulty with the notary public. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 FEB. 4 **Badger,** George E[dmund]. Raleigh, [North Carolina]. To Crittenden. Enquires what Crittenden is doing in Washington; minor matters. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 167.

1842 FEB. 4 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Arrangements for the prosecution of [Hosea J.] Levis; Bank of Kentucky inclined not to prosecute; Levis wishes to feel safe before he returns to Philadelphia. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 FEB. 4 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Received intelligence that [Henry] Clay intends to resign from the Senate; no opposition to Crittenden succeeding him; attitude of [James T.] Morehead toward the law on Bankruptcy. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 FEB. 8 **Newton,** Thomas W. Little Rock, Arkansas. To Crittenden. Approval of Crittenden resigning from the Cabinet; attitude of [Daniel] Webster; of opinion that the nomination of [Henry] Clay means defeat for the Whig party; favors the nomination of Crittenden for the Presidency. A. L. S. 4 p.

1842 FEB. 9 **Morehead,** C[harles] S[laughter]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Confident that Crittenden will succeed Henry Clay in the U. S. Senate; legislative action on the law on Bankruptcy; investigation of a scandal by State senate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 FEB. 22 **[Peyton,** Balie]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Personal debts and financial difficulties. 3 p.

1842 Feb. 23 **Morehead,** C[harles] S[laughter]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Receipt of resignation of [Henry] Clay from U. S. Senate; opposition to the election of Crittenden to succeed Clay. A. L. S. 1 p.

1842 Feb. 24 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Opposition to the election of Crittenden to succeed [Henry] Clay in the U. S. Senate; friendly attitude of Richard M. Johnson toward Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 172.

1842 Feb. 26 **L[etcher],** R[obert] P[erkins]. [Frankfort, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Crittenden's election to succeed [Henry Clay] in the U. S. Senate; exertions of Richard M. Johnson to keep down opposition. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 172.

1842 Mar. 2 **Badger,** George E[dmond]. Raleigh, [North Carolina]. To Crittenden. Sentiments on the attitude of President Tyler toward the Whig party; personals; business. A. L. S. 5 p.

1842 Mar. 4 **Sergeant,** John. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Objects of the proceedings against the Schuylkill Bank. A. L. S. 1 p.

1842 Mar. 4 **Sergeant,** John. Draft of a bill "to enable the [U. S.] Supreme Court to settle the controversies pending between the Kentucky Bank and the Schuylkill Bank." A. D. 2 copies, 3 p. each.

1842 Mar. 19 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. F[rankfort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. [Hosea J.] Levis should be pardoned; efforts of [Leslie] Combs to bring about a settlement. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 Mar. 30 **Schley,** William. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Anxiety about confirmation of McCulloch; his character qualifications; McCulloch's financial difficulties. A. L. S. 6 p.

1842 Apr. 2 **Hughes,** Christopher. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Incloses a letter for [Henry] Clay; friendship for Clay and Crittenden; despair of promotion [in diplomatic service?]. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 Apr. 9 **Henry,** H[enry]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Service in the U. S. Navy; confirmation by Senate of Naval officers. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 APR. 9 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frank[fort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Praises [Henry] Clay's valedictory; local matters; President Tyler; [Daniel] Webster. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871: I, 172.

1842 APR. 16 **Starkweather**, S. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Bank bills before the U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 MAY 3 **Ashburton**, [Alexander Baring], Lord. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Request to forward inclosed letter. A. L. in 3d person. 1 p.

1842 MAY 19 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Personals; call session of the Legislature; the relief movement and its effect; [Henry] Clay's attitude toward the Presidential nomination. A. L. S. 4 p.

1842 MAY 20 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Object of [Albert Gallatin?] Hodges's visit to Washington; local gossip; desire that [Martin] Van Buren will not visit Frankfort. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 MAY 22 **Jenifer**, D[aniel]. Vienna, Austria. To Crittenden. Reception at the court of Vienna; the manners and customs of the court; certain ceremonies. A. L. S. 9 p.

1842 MAY 23 **Lexington** Citizens, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Invitation to a barbecue given in honor of Henry Clay. L. S. by a committee. 1 p.

1842 MAY 31 **L[etcher]**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Visit of [Martin] Van Buren to Frankfort; his reception is a most complete burlesque. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 179.

1842 JUNE 3 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. End of disturbances in Rhode Island; adjournment of the Kentucky court; various personages; claim of Kentucky for 195 stand of arms against the U. S. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 181.

1842 JUNE 3 **Clay**, H[enry]. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Crittenden's attitude in Congress; criticises President Tyler's administration; general depression of business; tariff and the navy ques-

tion; Van Buren's visit to Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p. Also copy. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 180.

1842 JUNE 7 **L[etcher]**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Confidence in [Henry] Clay; local matters; humorous conversation with [Martin] Van Buren. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 182.

1842 JUNE 21 **[Letcher**, Robert Perkins.] Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Retirement of "The Old Prince" [Henry Clay] before the Presidential nomination; President Tyler and the tariff; State politics; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 JUNE 23 **Hamilton**, A[lexander]. New York. To Crittenden. Tariff and receipts from public lands; project for the relief of the states; hopes that President Tyler will veto the apportionment bill; rumor that "to the victors belongs the spoils" [William Learned Marcy] is to be nominated to a Cabinet office. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 JUNE 24 **Clay**, H[enry]. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Robert Perkins Letcher. Payment to Kentucky of its quota of the Land Fund. A. L. S. 1 p.

1842 JUNE 24 **Hughes**, Christopher. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden, [John Macpherson] Berrien, and [William Campbell] Preston. Bids farewell; leaves for England. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 JUNE 25 **Philadelphia** Whigs. To Crittenden. Invitation to Anniversary of American Independence. L. S. by 5 signatures. 1 p.

1842 JULY 2 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To H[enry] Clay. Attitude of the Whig party in Pennsylvania toward next Presidential nomination; preference for Winfield Scott; attitude of Scott; feeling toward President Tyler. A. L. S. 5 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 185.

1842 JULY 2 **Morehead**, James T[urner]. Washington, D. C. To Henry Clay. Effect of President Tyler's vetoes on the Whig party; affairs in the Cabinet and Senate; Dorr's rebellion in Rhode Island. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 July 6 **Porter,** Alex[ander]. White Sulphur Springs, Virginia. To Crittenden. President Tyler and the duty on sugar; personals; humorous story concerning Henry Clay. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 July 7 **Saltonstall,** L[everett]. Washington, [D. C.]. To [Henry Clay]. The revenue bill; opinion of President Tyler; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1842 July 8 **Rose,** William Boscawen. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Desires to withdraw his application for an appointment under the government; congratulates Crittenden on his speech in reply to [William] Allen of Ohio. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 July 11 **White,** John. Washington, [D. C.] To [Robert Perkins Letcher]. Attitude of Kentucky toward the land bill; northern States' only patriotism is interest and profits; tariff. A. L. S. 4 p.

1842 July 15 **Schley,** Frederick A. Frederick, Maryland. To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. Personals; proposed visit to Kentucky; Henry Clay and the Presidency. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 July 15 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To H[enry] Clay. Attitude of [John Minor] Botts toward the impeachment of President Tyler; advises Clay against such a course; political outlook; rumor that Webster will retire from the Cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 187.

1842 July 16 **Jones,** W[illiam]. [Washington, D. C.] To R[obert P[erkins] Letcher. Length of the present session of Congress; local gossip; hopes to see Letcher in the U. S. Senate soon. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 July 16 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, Ky. To Crittenden. Clay's strength if President Tyler should veto the permanent tariff bill; his views on the subject; ideas as to a vote of "want of confidence" in Tyler. A. L. S. 3 p. Also copy. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 188.

1842 July 21 **Porter,** Alexander. White Sulphur Springs, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Clay's prospects for Presidential nomination; course of the Whigs toward the tariff and its effect on sugar. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 July 21 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Movement for impeachment of President Tyler; possibility of veto of the tariff bill; recent elec-

tion in Louisiana. Copy. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 190.

1842 Aug. 3 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To H[enry] Clay. The Senate will pass the tariff bill as it comes from the House of Representatives, with probability of veto. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 191.

1842 Aug. 6 **Sargent**, N[athan]. Washington, D. C. To Henry Clay. Passage of the tariff bill by the Senate; possibility of veto by President Tyler; Clay's popularity in Pennsylvania; issue of a Clay Almanac; rumor that [Daniel] Webster is to retire from the Cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1842 Aug. 8 **L[etcher]**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Recent election in Kentucky; Whigs and Locos in the Legislature pledged to vote for Crittenden for U. S. Senate; curiosity as to [Daniel] Webster leaving the Cabinet. A. L. S. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 192.

1842 Aug. 12 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To H[enry] Clay. Embarrassment caused by veto of the tariff bill; difficulty in adopting a satisfactory course; treaty with England before the Senate. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 192.

1842 Aug. 16 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To James Harlan. Transmission of certificates of stock; tariff bill; cause of President Tyler's actions; effect of elections in the west. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 193.

1842 Aug. 18 **Clay**, Henry. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To [Crittenden]. Encloses letters; dissolution of the Ohio legislature. Copy. 1 p.

1842 Aug. 18 **White**, John. [Washington, D. C.] To [Henry Clay?]. Veto of the tariff bill; idea of an extra session of Congress; expects harmony among the Whigs. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 Sept. 16 **Eve**, Joseph. Galveston, [Texas]. To Crittenden. His financial embarrassments; suspension of military operations against Mexico by Texas; trouble from the Indians; prosperity of the country; local gossip. A. L. S. 4 p.

1842 Dec. 8 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Senatorial election in Kentucky; attitude of [Richard Mentor] Johnson toward Presidency. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 195.

1842 Dec. 21 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To M[aria] K. C[rittenden]. Dullness of Washington society; arrival of "Judge [John] Catron and lady;" encloses letter from Mrs. [Elizabeth] Ashley. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 Dec. 22 **Eve,** Joseph. Galveston, Tex. To Robert P[erkins] Letcher. Personals; does not expect to be recalled; hopes for Crittenden's reelection to the U. S. Senate; sentiments on the Bank question; daily life and accommodations at the capital of Texas; the military and political attitude of Texas. A. L. S. 8 p.

1842 Dec. 26 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To M[aria] K. C[rittenden]. His visit to [William] Schley, in Baltimore; personals; desire to be in Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 Dec. 28 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To R[obert] H[enry] Crittenden. Relative to application for office of collector of river tolls; dislikes to ask favors for his family. Copy. 2 p.

1842 Dec. 29 **Lord,** Daniel, Jr. New York. To Crittenden. Ridicule of J[ohn] C[anfield] Spencer. A. L. S. 2 p.

1842 Dec. 30 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To M[aria] K. C[rittenden]. Comments on "home;" happenings in Washington. A. L. S. 2 p.

1843 Jan. 2 **Morehead,** Charles S. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Result of a joint caucus held by the State legislature for the election of U. S. Senator; results favor Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1843 Jan. 3 **Pirtle,** Henry. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Result of a caucus in the State Senate relative to election of Crittenden to the U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1843] [Jan. 10] **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Great victory for Crittenden in his election to U. S. Senate; condition of the Democratic party in Kentucky. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 137.

1843 JAN. 14 **Clay,** H[enry]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Election of [Alexander] Porter to the U. S. Senate; its effect in Louisiana; Clay will not go to Cuba; queries as to a Whig National Convention. A. L. S. 1 p.

1843 JAN. 16 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To S[amuel] S[mith] Nicholas. Search for letter of [George Mifflin] Dallas to Andrew Jackson; scheme relative to Texas; legal matters. Copy. 1 p.

1843 JAN. 20 **Letcher,** [Robert Perkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Urges Crittenden to advise [James Turner] Morehead against resigning his seat in the U. S. Senate before next winter; reasons for such action. A. L. S. 2 p.

1843 FEB. 5 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. [James Turner] Morehead has no intention of resigning his seat in U. S. Senate; [John] Calhoun; business matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

1843 FEB. 5 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Maria K. C[rittenden]. Personals; possibility of sending oysters to Kentucky; his re-election to the U. S. Senate; local matters; news of the capture of George [Bibb Crittenden] by Mexicans. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 199.

1843 FEB. 7 **Webster,** Daniel. Washington, [D. C.] to Waddy Thompson. Urges Thompson to interpose in behalf of [George Bibb] Crittenden who was captured by Mexicans. Copy. 1 p.

1843 FEB. 10 **Clay,** H[enry]. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Encloses letter complimenting [Alexander] Porter; fate of the Exchequer. A. L. S. 1 p.

1843 FEB. 15 **Webster,** Daniel. Washington, [D. C.] To [Robert Perkins] Letcher. The Bank question; predicts a Loco-foco majority in the next Congress; President Tyler would veto a Subtreasury bill; necessity of a currency and the restoration of public credit. Copy. 1 p.

1843 FEB. 24 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. Anxiety as to [George Bibb Crittenden] who is held captive by the Mexicans; gratitude for favors; [Daniel]

Webster's assistance in the matter; interest in legislative matters of Kentucky; caucus for a Whig National Convention. Copy. 2 p.

1843 FEB. 28 **Webster**, Daniel. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Relative to letters to [Waddy] Thompson and dispatch of the letters. Copy. 1 p.

1843 MAR. 9 **Thompson**, Waddy. Mexico. To Antonio Lopes de Santa Anna. Encloses letters in behalf of [George Bibb] Crittenden; reasons for his action. Copy. 1 p.

1843 MAR. 15 **Santa Anna**, Antonio Lopez de. Mexico. To Waddy Thompson. Has ordered George Bibb Crittenden and the other American prisoners to be placed at the disposal of Thompson; requests that Thompson use his influence to prevent citizens of the United States from aiding the Texans. Copy. 2 p.

1843 MAR. 18 **Pakenham**, M. Mexico. To H[enry] S[tephen] Fox. Information that President General Santa Anna has ordered the release of [George Bibb] Crittenden. Copy. 1 p.

1843 MAR. 18 **Thompson**, W[addy]. Mexico. To Daniel Webster. Has received an order for the release of [George Bibb] Crittenden; kind treatment of prisoners; encloses letters relative to the release. Copy. 1 p.

1843 MAR. 19 **Thompson**, W[addy]. Mexico. To Crittenden. The release of [George Bibb] Crittenden; prompt action of President General Santa Anna and good conduct of Pakenham. Copy. 2 p.

1843 APR. 5 **Scott**, Winfield. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Humorous letter; threatens to "turn Tyler man"; criticises President Tyler and his Cabinet; employment of topographical officers. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 201.

1843 APR. 25 **S[cott]**, W[infield]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Influence of Loco-foco supporters against [John W.] Russell; general notes; [William] Campbell would refuse a mission to Paris. A. L. S. 4 p.

1843 MAY 7 **Campbell**, Thomas J. Athens, Tennessee. To Henry Clay. Effect of Clay's actions in 1827 on the present campaign; good prospects of his own election; the general election in Tennessee. A. L. S. 2 p.

1843 May 19 **Todd County** Citizens. Elkton, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Calling a convention to take into consideration the "late alarming and dangerous assumptions of power by the executive of the United States." Copy. 1 p.

[1843] [June 1?] **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To J. G. Greenfield, Jr., and others. Convention called to consider the "assumptions of power" of President Tyler; actions of Tyler, and his claims; ideas as to the attitude which the people should take; declines invitation to the convention. Copy. 5 p.

1843 June 15 **Clay**, Henry. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Desires copies of opinions of U.S. Supreme Court on Mississippi slave cases. Copy. 1 p.

1843 June 26 **Clay**, Henry. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. The "Custom House and Webster Clique" of New York; they are in favor of John McLean for President, and will use the Bunker Hill celebration for concocting their machinations. Copy. 1 p.

1843 June 29 **Scott**, Winfield. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Return from West Point; Crittenden's nephew [William L. Crittenden] to be given another chance; understands that Crittenden is "starring . . . in the same troupe with [Thomas H.] Benton;" how Scott avoided a trip to New York and Boston; sorry to have missed a visit to Kentucky. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 203.

1843 July 8 **Scott**, Winfield. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Encloses a letter from West Point; Crittenden's "excursion" to Missouri with [Thomas H.] Benton; personnel of President Tyler's Cabinet complete; John Nelson, a small politician of the Jackson-Van Buren stamp, to be Attorney General; doubts the intentions of Daniel Webster; John M. Clayton as Vice President on Clay's ticket; minor matters. A. L. S. 4 p.

1843 Aug. 10 **Foster**, Ephraim H. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Recent election in Tennessee; rejoices over the Whig victory; majority of [George W.] Jones for Congress. A. L. S. 1 p.

1843 Aug. 12 [Crittenden, John Jordan.] Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To the Editors of Louisville Journal. Corrects a statement made in the "Journal" reflecting on Crittenden and [Robert Perkins] Letcher; his feeling toward Letcher during the election of 1840 and at the present writing. A. D'f. 3 p.

1843 Sept. 9 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Disposition of Kentucky bonds; date of next Whig National Convention; opinion of administration of John Tyler, and his intentions. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1843 Sept. 22 **McLean,** John. Cincinnati, Ohio. To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. Opinion on the various Presidential candidates; disheartened condition of the Whig party; looks for defeat. A. L. S. 3 p.

1843 Sept. 25 **Porter,** P[eter] B[uel]. New York. To Henry Clay. Return from the fair at Rochester; [Daniel] Webster's despair of becoming Presidential candidate; possibility of Websters reconciliation with Clay; marked hostility of Webster toward Clay; desires suggestions on the subject. A. L. S. 3 p.

1843 Sept. 30 **Sargent,** N[athan]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Local political nominations; predicts his own defeat; attitude of President Tyler's supporters toward Van Buren; appointees placed in office by Charles A. Wickliffe, Post Master General; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1843] [Oct. 4?] **Scott,** Winfield. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. The project to run [Daniel] Webster on [Henry] Clay's ticket revived by certain newspapers; Scott's attitude toward public meetings and newspapers favoring his own nomination for President; Richard M[entor] Johnson and the Loco-foco leaders; is ignorant of the intentions of the Cabinet. A. L. S. last 4 p. Printed under date Oct. 14: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 203.

1843 Oct. 14 **Scott,** Winfield. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Leaves to meet his family in New York; recommends the Exchange Hotel, in Washington; its advantages; [John Minor] Botts is prosecuting his claim against John W. Jones for seat in U. S. Congress. A. L. S. 4 p.

1843 Nov. 30 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Local matters; will send [Winfield] Scott a commission as president of the Anti-Drinking Club; recent declarations that John Davis is the agent of Yankee and English abolitionists. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 207.

1843 Dec. 2 **Porter,** Alexander. Oak Lawn, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. His illness; doubt as to whether he should resign his seat in the U. S. Senate; prospects for the election of [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 2 p.

1843 Dec. 5 **Riddle,** John S. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Feeling among Whig newspapers for the rejection of nomination of James M. Porter for Secretary of War; strength of the Porter faction in Pennsylvania; if nomination were rejected this strength would be turned against Clay. A. L. S. 3 p.

1843 Dec. 5 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. The annexation of Texas would cause a war with Mexico; the question should be passed over in silence; reasons for opposing annexation. L. S. 6 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 207.

1843 Dec. 5 **Grymes,** John R., P. **Anderson,** C. **Roselius,** and Thomas **Slidell.** New Orleans, [Louisiana]. Statement of what would be a reasonable fee for Balie Peyton as attorney for the U. S. in its suit against Bank of U. S. Copy. 1 p.

1843 Dec. 8 **Prentiss,** S[ergeant] S[mith]. Vicksburg, [Mississippi]. To Crittenden. Private matters; encloses fees for services rendered; recommends Starke for appointment on the Choctaw Commission. A. L. S. 3 p.

1843 Dec. 9 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Newcastle, Delaware. To Crittenden. Acknowledges receipt of Kentucky bonds; probable nomination of [Martin] Van Buren by the Loco-focos; popularity of [Henry] Clay; Virginia's mode of choosing delegates to the Whig Convention. A. L. S. 2 p.

1843 Dec. 14 **Prentiss & Guion.** Vicksburg, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Desires his services for William Scott in case before the U. S. Supreme Court. A. L. S. by Prentiss. 1 p.

[1843] [Dec. 14?] **Scott,** William. Memorandum of suit with Downs. A. D. 2 p.

1843 Dec. 16 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Ideas on internal improvements and establishment of the Post Office Department; predicts that the day of the Post Office as a national institute are numbered. A. L. S. 6 p.

1843 Dec. 16 **Lord,** Daniel, Jr. New York. To Crittenden. Crittenden is eulogizing his dead adversaries; law matters; health of Smith Thompson. A. L. S. 2 p.

1843 Dec. 18 **Letcher,** R[obert P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Article in the "Commonwealth" relative to [John C.] Calhoun; Calhoun's friends are too tame and submissive; anxious to know what Daniel Webster is about. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 211.

1843 Dec. 19 **Chittenden,** Thomas C. Adams, New York. To Crittenden. Urges that confirmation of John O. Dickey as collector of customs at Sacketts Harbor be delayed by the Senate. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1843] [Dec. 19] **[Chittenden,** Thomas C.] [Adams, New York.] Form of resolutions requiring the customhouse at Sacketts Harbor to render an account. A. D. 1 p.

1844 Jan. 1 **Root,** Erastus. Albany, New York. To Crittenden. Opposition to confirmation of [John Canfield] Spencer as successor to late [Smith] Thompson, Associate Justice of U. S. Supreme Court. A. L. S. 1 p.

1844 Jan. 2 **Corwin,** Thomas. Lebanon, Ohio. To Crittenden. Recommends the reappointment of Thomas Blair as Postmaster at Dayton, Ohio; Daniel Webster and the Whigs; [John Caldwell] Calhoun. A. L. S. 1 p.

1844 Jan. 6 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Confidence in [John Cook] Rives as a Clay man; [John] Tyler hostile to [Martin] Van Buren; Kentucky Loco-foco convention for Presidential nominee; attitude of [Richard Mentor] Johnson. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 Jan. 7 **Nicholas,** S[amuel] S[mith]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. The premature discussion of the annexation of Texas; scheme for it to be admitted

as a colony; abolition of slaves; gradual abolition by the various states; general ideas on the subjects. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 JAN. 8 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. No necessity for ousting [William] Hardin, the Postmaster at Frankfort; the Kentucky Van Buren convention; minor matters. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 JAN. 18 **[Letcher,** Robert Perkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Leader needed in the House of Representatives of Kentucky; intrigue to oust [William] Hardin as Postmaster at Frankfort; ideas on national politics. A. L. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden; Phila., 1871; I, 213.

1844 JAN. 20 **Van Rensselaer,** Sol[omon]. Albany, [New York]. To Crittenden. The nomination of an Associate Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court; hostility of certain candidates toward [Henry] Clay; denounces John C[anfield] Spencer's political character. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 JAN. 21 **Pleasants,** John H. Richmond, Virginia. To Crittenden. Recommends Edward A. Cabell for Solicitor of the Land Office; the confirmation of Henry A[lexander] Wise as Minister to Brazil; Wise's influence in Virginia. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 JAN. 22 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Rejection by the Senate of President's nominations; Kentucky legislative matters; the Presidential nomination. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden; Phila., 1871; I, 213.

1844 JAN. 22 **Chittenden,** T[homas] C. Adams, New York. To Crittenden. Complains of appointments made in the custom houses at Sacketts Harbor and Cape Vincent; ideas on the success of [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 JAN. 24 **Clay,** H[enry]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. The death of [Alexander] Porter and his possible successor in the Senate; urges that the Senate reject the nominations of [Caleb] Cushing and [John Canfield] Spencer; his intended tour through Alabama, Georgia and South Carolina. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871, I, 214.

1844 JAN. 25 **Nicholas,** S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Delay in will case; desires a patent for his latest invention. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 JAN. 28 **Preston,** William C[ampbell]. Columbia, South Carolina. To Crittenden. Queries as to National affairs at Washington; local effect of [John Caldwell] Calhoun's letter; fears that the Senate is using the guillotine too freely. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 JAN. 30 **Riddle,** John S. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Sentiment toward the nomination of [James Madison] Porter as Secretary of War; vote of Pennsylvania secured to [Henry] Clay if Porter is confirmed, and lost to the Whigs if he is rejected by the U. S. Senate; but believes Pennsylvania is against [Martin] Van Buren under any circumstances. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 FEB. 1 **Love,** James. Galveston, [Texas]. To S[amuel] S[mith] Nicholas. Criticises Nicholas's scheme for the annexation of Texas; the Texas debt; number of slaves; acquisition of lands for colonization; proposals made by the English Abolition Society; desire that the United States will not meddle with the affairs of Texas. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 FEB. 3 **Granger,** Francis. Canandaigua, N. Y. To Crittenden. General opposition to the appointment of [John Canfield] Spencer as Associate Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court; effect of his confirmation on the Whig party of New York. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 FEB. 4 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. On the confirmation of [Henry Alexander] Wise as Minister to Brazil; should be confirmed as matter of policy; attitude of [Daniel] Webster; rumor that [Alexander] Porter left a legacy to [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 FEB. 10 **Lord,** Daniel, Jr. New York. To Crittenden. Personals; legal business; national affairs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 FEB. 15 **Clay,** Henry. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Rumor that forty-two Senators favor the annexation of Texas and have advised President Tyler that they will confirm a treaty to that effect; desires information on the subject. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Colemans, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 216.

1844 FEB. 19 **Craighill**, William N. Charlestown, Virginia. To Crittenden. Encloses letter from Crittenden to Craighill's father found among his father's papers. Copy. 1 p.

1844 FEB. 20 **Weaver**, Augustus. Hagerstown, Indiana. To Crittenden. Alleged coalition between John Q[uincy] Adams and Henry Clay in 1824–5. A. L. S. 1 p.

1844 MAR. 7 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. Reasons why appointment [Judge of Kentucky Supreme Court] should not be given [John] White; its political effect; White has determined to decline. Copy. 2 p.

1844 MAR. 13 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. The appointment [Judge of Kentucky Supreme Court] offered [John] White; political situation in Virginia; local matters. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 217.

1844 MAR. 17 **Weed**, Thurlow. Albany, New York. To Crittenden. The nomination of Chancellor [Reuben Hyde] Walworth [as Associate Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court] but a scheme contrived to get rid of him; if his nomination is confirmed he will be succeeded by a Loco-foco. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 MAR. 18 **Davis**, Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. The Texas question; inclined to favor annexation; reasons; local prejudices. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 MAR. 24 **Clay**, Henry. Savannah, Georgia. To Crittenden. The Texas question; has hitherto foreborne to express his opinion; the principle of protection in connection with a tariff for revenue; the fraudulent tariff considered in the House of Representatives. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden; Phila., 1871; I, 217.

1844 MAR. 28 **Drake**, Charles D. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Encloses letter to George McDuffie, to be delivered if Crittenden should think prudent. A. L. S. 1 p.

1844 MAR. 28 **Drake**, Charles D. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To George McDuffie. Query as to truth of statement credited to McDuffie, alledging coalition between [John Quincy] Adams and [Henry] Clay in 1824–5. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 MAR. 30 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To T[homas] Ewing. Aggitation of the Texas question in Senate; opinion that no treaty for annexation can be ratified; desires sentiment of the people in Ohio. Copy. 1 p.

1844 APR. 2 **Smith,** Gustavus W[oodson]. New London, Connecticut. To Crittenden. The question of discharging the brevet 2d lieutenants in the U. S. Army; his own particular case; his services in the army since leaving West Point; desires the question investigated. A. L. S. 6 p.

1844 APR. 2 **Smith,** Gustavus W[oodson]. New London, Connecticut. To Crittenden. Explaining who his people are in Kentucky and requesting that his complaint be laid before the Military Committee of the U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 1 p.

1844 APR. 5 **Lawrence,** Abbott. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. The Massachusetts state convention; [Henry] Clay's prospects in New England; Clay and the Texas question; possible nomination of John Brown for Vice-President; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 APR. 9 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Predictions as to the result of the election in New York; Whig enthusiasm; [Martin] Van Buren and the Presidential nomination. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 APR. 10 **L[etcher],** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. The result of recent election in Connecticut; affairs in Virginia; personals. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 218.

1844 APR. 11 **Lawrence,** Abbott. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Political situation in Massachusetts; the national convention; attitude of [Daniel] W[ebster]. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 APR. 12 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. A political satire. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 APR. 17 **Clay,** H[enry]. Raleigh, [North Carolina]. To Crittenden. Encloses a letter on the Texas question to be published in the "Intelligencer" at the discretion of Crittenden and others. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 219.

1844 Apr. 19 **Clay,** H[enry]. Petersburg, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Confidence in the stand taken in his letter forwarded for publication; fears nothing from public opinion. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 219.

1844 Apr. 21 **Clay,** H[enry]. Norfolk, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Entertains no apprehension from publication of his letter on the Texas question; date of publication; attitude of [Martin] Van Buren and public sentiment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 May 4 **Preston,** William C[ampbell]. Columbia, [South Carolina]. To Crittenden. Personals; crossfire of [Martin] Van Buren and [Henry] Clay on the Texas question; selfish notions of [John Caldwell] Calhoun; favorable comment on Clay's letter on the Texas question. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 May 10 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Whig National Convention at Baltimore and its effect; Van Buren party in Kentucky; general campaign notes. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 220.

1844 May 13 [**Davis,** Charles Augustus]. New York. To Crittenden Lack of harmony in the Van Buren party; general political comment. A. L. Signature torn off.

1844 May 16 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To Chapman Coleman. The treaty for annexation of Texas. Copy. 1 p.

[1844] [May] **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Speech made at a meeting in Kentucky for ratification of nomination of Henry Clay for President. Copy. 3 p.

1844] June 5 **Preston,** William C[ampbell]. Columbia, [South Carolina]. To Crittenden. Comment on the next Presidential campaign. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 June 5 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Ridicules a recent meeting of the "Polkers" held in New York; [Martin] Van Buren's letter is a funny affair; Texas matter an emergency; comment on the coming campaign. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 June 8 **McNeill,** William Gibbs. Stonington, Connecticut. To Crittenden. Personal feelings toward Critten-

den; reasons and cause of certain statements in recent letter. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 JUNE 17 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To John Middleton Clayton. Adjournment of Congress; leaves immediately for home; influence with the "Native Americans" at Philadelphia. A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON.

1844 JULY 1 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To S[amuel] S[mith] Nicholas. Congratulations on appointment as "Lord High Chancellor"; legal matters as to a will case. Copy. 1 p.

1844 JULY 13 **Foster,** Ephraim H. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Opinion of the people of Tennessee of Crittenden; prospects of the political campaign in the State; confident of Whig victory. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 JULY 13 **Penrose,** Charles B. Carlisle, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Encloses letter of [William Henry] Harrison commending Henry Clay; confidence of the Whigs in Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 AUG. 12 **Peyton,** Balie. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Charles B[ingham] Penrose. In regard to fees due from the government in certain cases before the courts; dispute as to agreement in case of United States *vs.* Bank of the United States. A. L. S. 9 p.

1844 AUG. 31 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. The political campaign; confidence of a Whig victory in New York; the vote in Pennsylvania; South Carolina and the tariff. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 SEPT. 2 **Helm,** John L[arue]. Bardstown, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires to know the reasons why Governor [William] Owsley opposes [Benjamin] Hardin as Secretary of State. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 SEPT. 7 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Nomination of Silas Wright for Governor of New York; comparison of Wright with Martin Van Buren; confident that Whigs will carry New York. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 SEPT. 21 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. The origin and description of a cartoon of the Democratic "bell ringers"; the political situation in New York and Pennsylvania; the States that will vote for the Whig party. A. L. S. 7 p.

1844 Sept. 25 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Action of the "Native Americans" toward nominations in New York City; effect that Henry Clay's election would have upon the price of securities; assurance that the Democratic party will be defeated in November. A. L. S. 7 p.

1844 Sept. 29 **Granger,** Fr[ancis]. Canandaigua, New York. To Crittenden. Feels that New York is the pivot State in the coming election; the campaign in New York and the possible result in favor of the Whigs. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 Sept. 30 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Assurance of electing the Whig ticket in New York; effect of the campaign upon Wall street. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 Oct. 1 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Is confident that Pennsylvania and New Jersey will give a Whig majority along with New York. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 Oct. 2 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Presidential candidate to abstain from answering queries on public measures; gives draft of letter for [Henry] Clay to give to the public declining to commit himself upon public questions. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 Oct. 3 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Approval of Henry Clay's letter to the "National Intelligencer"; little importance of the elections in Maryland and New Jersey; work of Daniel Webster in Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 Oct. 4 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Election returns from Baltimore not all that could be desired; predicts a better showing in Philadelphia. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 Oct. 11 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Election of Markle doubted; prediction of elections in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Maryland; recent mass meeting at Tammany Hall; confident of Henry Clay's election. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 Oct. 15 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Must bring the Whigs and "Natives" into line in order to carry the city; price of farm products and the tariff. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 Nov. 13 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To H[enry] Clay. Election of James K[nox] Polk; Clay possibly the only man who could lose nothing by the result; is tempted to leave the Polkites to dispose of the tariff among themselves. Copy. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 222.

1844 Nov. 15 **Corwin,** Thomas. Lebanon, Ohio. To Crittenden, Washington, D. C. Sorrow over the defeat of Henry Clay; an exhibition of ingratitude; the repeal of the tariff, and war with Mexico. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 225.

1844 Nov. 25 **Davis,** George T. M. Alton, Illinois. To Crittenden. Mortification at the defeat of Henry Clay for President; desires letter from Crittenden that will unite the Whigs of Illinois; Loco-focoism and the tariff. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 Nov. 28 **Clay,** Henry. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Sympathizes with him on the result of the recent election; their duty to struggle for the interests of the country; Whig minority which may yet save the country; sentiment on the Native American party; naturalization laws; has no thought of returning to the Senate. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 223.

1844 Dec. 3 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Election of [James Knox] Polk; feeling against foreigners; favors annexation of Texas, and reasons therefore; Crittenden as a Presidential candidate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 Dec. 5 **Primrose,** William. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Case of Clymer *vs.* Dawkins et al., before U. S. Supreme Court; correspondence on the Savage case. A. L. S. 2 p.

1844 Dec. 16 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Article in the "National Intelligencer" relative to postal matters; annexation of Texas. A. L. S. 1 p.

1844 Dec. 17 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Response of [Henry] Clay to address of the Kentucky electors; possibility of [John Caldwell] Calhoun retaining office of Secretary of State;

comments on Calhoun and [Thomas Hart] Benton; a rebuke needed for the abolitionists. A. L. S. 3 p.

1844 Dec. 22 **Prentiss,** S[ergeant] S[mith]. Vicksburg, [Mississippi]. To Crittenden. Brief in case of Heirs of Bowers *vs.* Barlow et al.; general statement of the case; calls attention to case of Creath *vs.* Sims; the election of [James Knox] Polk as President, and his opinion of him; general comments on national affairs. A. L. S. 4 p.

1844 Dec. 26 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires a copy of an order made in Louisiana while it was a dependency of France, which might be in the French archives. A. L. S. 1 p.

1844 Dec. 28 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Albert T. Burnley. Bills for annexation of Texas before Congress; intentions of [James Knox] Polk in regard to Texas; assumption of Texas debt; desires that George M. Bibb secure an official position. Copy. 1 p.

[1844?] **[Peyton,** Balie.] [New Orleans, Louisiana.] To [Crittenden, ?] Plea for fees and full argument why the same should be paid Peyton acting as attorney for the U. S. in suit against the Bank of the United States in the Commercial Court of New Orleans. A. L. incomplete, p. 7–27.

1845 Jan. 9 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Encloses letter from Judge [Joseph] Story; not surprised at Story's disgust with his service in the U. S. Supreme Court; Whigs should leave the Texas question to [James Knox] Polk; [Robert Perkins] Letcher bears recent defeat badly. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 225.

1845 Jan. 27 **Prentiss,** S[ergeant] S[mith]. Vicksburg, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Personal business and financial matters. A. L. S. 1 p.

1845 Feb. 3 **Eggleston,** H. B. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Reinstatement of a case before the U. S. Supreme Court; the property in dispute. A. L. S. 2 p.

1845 Feb. 16 **Graves,** W[illiam] J[ordan]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Prefers Crittenden for Presidential

candidate in 1848; general ideas; time to make the move; outline of plan. A. L. S. 3 p.

1845 MAR. 1 **Judge**, H. M. Washington, D. C. To [Mrs. H. M. Judge]. Alleged agreement between [John Caldwell] Calhoun and [James Knox] Polk; J[ohn] J[ordan] Crittenden's speech against the annexation of Texas; [Arthur Pendleton] Bagby in disgrace with both political parties. Copy. 1 p.

1845 MAY 6 **Marcy**, W[illiam] L[earned]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Political pressure brought against Russell to cause his removal; opinion of Russell and his good qualities; no one appointed in his place. A. L. S. 2 p.

1845 MAY 8 **Figuens**, Thomas N. Franklin, Tennessee. To William Hardeman. General statement of the case of Edward Anderson *vs.* William Hardeman. Endorsed: "To be shown to Mr. Crittenden." A. L. S. 7 p.

1845 MAY 19 **Ashley**, Elizabeth et al. Unexecuted deed to John P. Maddox, Cooper County, Missouri. 2 p.

1845 JULY 11 **Clay**, H[enry]. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Arrangements to have photographs made of himself and Crittenden by Healey. A. L. S. 1 p.

1845 AUG. 4 **Woodbridge**, W[illiam]. Springwells, [Michigan]. To Crittenden. Regrets loss of opportunity of seeing [Orlando ?] Brown in Detroit; recent illness; circumstances of Crittenden's servant "John." A. L. S. 3 p.

1845 AUG. 30 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. To Mrs. Virginia Shelby. Sends draft of answer to file in suit concerning will of her father. A. L. S. BRECKINRIDGE.

1845 SEPT. 12 **Bowling** *vs.* Harrison. U. S. District Court for Southern Mississippi. Clerk's certificate that writ of error was granted plaintiff. 1 p.

1845 SEPT. 29 **White**, Joseph L. New York. To Crittenden. Efforts of John P[endleton] Kennedy to get the name of Winfield Scott before the public; Whigs of New York prefer [Henry] Clay of all men; but would desire Crittenden before Scott. A. L. S. 5 p.

1845 OCT. 28 **Camden**, P[eter] G. St. Louis, Missouri. To Alexander [Andrew ?] McKinley. Sale of city property; price of lots; estate of Mrs. [Elizabeth] Ashley. A. L. S. 1 p.

1845 Nov. 25 **Lord,** Thomas. New York. To Crittenden. Warehousing imported merchandise; general discussion of the question; comparison of United States trade with that of England. A. L. S. 6 p.

1845 Nov. 30 **Holt,** J[oseph]. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Desires Crittenden to act as counsel for J[ilson] P. Harrison before the U. S. Supreme Court; statement of the case. A. L. S. 2 p.

1845 Dec. 1 **Harrison,** J[ilson] P. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Desires careful attention to his case before the U. S. Supreme Court; payment of fees. A. L. S. 1 p.

1845 Dec. 1 **Yerger,** George S. Vicksburg, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Fees due Crittenden from the estate of late Major Creath. A. L. S. 1 p.

1845 Dec. 6 **Warren,** C[harles] H. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Invitation to celebration of the 225th Anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims at Plymouth. A. L. S. 2 p.

1845 Dec. 11 **Camden,** P[eter] G. St. Louis, Missouri. To A[ndrew] McKinley. Business affairs of Mrs. [Elizabeth] Ashley; payment of commissions. A. L. S. 3 p.

1845 Dec. **Kentucky** Citizens. Petition to U. S. Congress to provide a law proposing a Congress of Nations to form a code of International Law. D. S. 27 signatures.

1846 Jan. 8 **Clark,** Thomas. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Desires to retain Crittenden as counsel before the U. S. Supreme Court; payment of fees. A. L. S. 2 p.

1846 Jan. 24 **Camden,** P[eter] G. St. Louis, Missouri. To "Alexander" [Andrew?] McKinley. Louisville, Kentucky. Real estate matters; claim of Evans to the land of Mrs. [Elizabeth] Ashley. A. L. S. 3 p.

1846 Jan. 25 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To A[ndrew] McKinley, Louisville, Kentucky. Sale of land of Mrs. [Elizabeth] Ashley; business matters; statement of Mrs. Ashley's accounts. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1846] Jan. **Crittenden,** [John Jordan]. Summary of remarks in the U. S. Senate in submitting petition from citizens of Kentucky, asking for an international arbitration tribunal. A. D. 7 p.

1846 FEB. 5 **Hilliard**, J. H. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Suit of W[illiam] Hardeman *vs.* E[dward] Anderson in U. S. Supreme Court. A. L. S. 2 p.

1846 MAR. 17 **Trigg**, William H. Boonville, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Saint Louis, Missouri. Freeman Wing has deposited money with him subject to her order. A. L. S. 1 p.

1846 MAR. 18 **Wing**, Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Saint Louis, Missouri. Money received for sale of lands, deposited with William H. Trigg; real estate matters. A. L. S. 2 p.

1846 MAR. 25 **Taylor**, Zachary. Monterey, Mex. To Crittenden. Steps taken by [William Learned] Marcy and [Winfield] Scott to defeat his efforts; his army stripped of regular troops; success of the volunteers; attacks made upon him in Congress; denunciation of Marcy and Scott; future plans. A. L. 5 p. Signature torn off.

1846 MAR. 25 **Joy**, G[eorge]. Pentonville, [New Jersey]. To William Ewarts Gladstone. The Oregon question; correspondence with [John Quincy] Adams and [Albert] Gallatin; increase of population of United States and Canada. Copy. 3 p.

1846 MAR. 26 **Scott**, Winfield. Washington, D. C. Memorandum to [William Learned Marcy] Secretary of War on the proposed increase in the army; length of enlistments. A. D. S. "Copy." 3 p.

1846 APR. 13 **Leigh**, B[enjamin] W[atkins]. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. [Daniel] Webster's invective against [Charles Jared] Ingersoll; floor of the Senate not the proper place for such a temper; Ingersoll's retaliation; views on the matter. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 239.

1846 APR. 20 **Scott**, [Winfield]. [Washington, D. C.] To Mrs. [Maria K.] Crittenden. Incloses clipping from newspaper. A. L. in 3d person. 1 p.

1846 APR. 23 **Lawrence**, Abbott. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Crittenden's speech in reply to William Allen; service to the country. A. L. S. 1 p.

1846 MAY 5 **Thurston**, Charles M. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Requests a copy of Frémont's Travels; Crittenden's speech in reply to [William] Allen. A. L. S. 3 p.

1846 June 4 **Scott,** Winfield. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Suggests that Maj. Gen. [Zachary] Taylor be presented with a gold medal in preference to a sword; swords usually given to inferior officers; reports received from Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 243.

1846 June 15 **Butler,** A[nthony]. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Criticises [Winfield] Scott's correspondence with the War Department; Crittenden's chances for Presidential nomination; ideas on the subject. A. L. S. 4 p. Extracts printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 247.

1846 July 24 **Lawrence,** Abbott. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Has written to [Daniel] Webster relative to the compromise; bill should be introduced by Democrat, if possible; suggestions. A. L. S. 2 p.

1846 July 27 **Darby,** John F. St. Louis, Missouri. To Crittenden. Desires to retain Crittenden as counsel in case of Amedée Menard's Heirs *vs.* Samuel Massy, in U. S. Supreme Court. A. L. S. 2 p.

1846 Aug. 3 **Hickey,** W[illiam]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Submits a standard edition of the United States Constitution. A. L. S. 1 p.

1846 Aug. 4 **Reynolds,** J[ames ?] N. New York. To Crittenden. Compliments him on his action toward the tariff; general comment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1846 Aug. 8 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To M[aria] K. Crittenden. Preparations for leaving after the adjournment of Congress; her departure from New York for New Haven; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1846 Aug. 28 **Wing,** F[reeman]. La Mine, Missouri. To A[ndrew] McKinley. Advises sale or lease of estate [of Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley] at Chotcau Lick Spring. A. L. S. 1 p.

1846 Sept. 12 **Scott,** Winfield. West Point, New York. To William L[earned] Marcy. Asks that President Polk be reminded of Scott's former request to be sent to command the U. S. Army in Mexico; opinion that he could reach the Rio Grande by the end of September. Copy. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, 1871; I, 250.

1846 Sept. 14 **Marcy,** W[illiam] L[earned]. Washington, [D. C.] To Maj. Gen. W[infield] Scott. At request of President Polk informs him that it is not within the arrangements for Scott to supersede [Maj.] Gen. [Zachary] Taylor in Mexico. Copy. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 250.

1846 Sept. 15 **Taylor,** Z[achary]. Camargo, Mexico. To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. The attitude of the Administration toward Taylor; capture of [Capt. Seth Barton] Thornton by Mexicans; honors bestowed by Congress; organization of the Army; difficulty in procuring supplies; the revolution in Mexico; his respect for [Maj.] Gen. [Winfield] Scott; has no political aspirations; desire to bring the war to a close. A. L. S. 8 p., also copy, 7 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 251.

1846 Sept. 17 **Scott,** Winfield. West Point, [New York]. To Crittenden. Incloses copies of correspondence with [William Learned Marcy] Secretary of War; understands that [Maj.] Gen. [Zachary] Taylor desires Scott in Mexico; suspected project to withdraw Taylor and leave [Maj.] Gen. [William Orlando] Butler in command. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 249.

1846 Sept. 20 **Sanders,** L., Jr. Natchez, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Denunciation of Robert Walker; his own political principles; Walker's schemes. A. L. S. 3 p.

1846 Sept. 26 **Scott,** Winfield. Washington, [D. C.] To Maj. Gen. Zachary Taylor. Friendly feeling toward Taylor; his situation with the Administration; danger of Taylor being superseded in command; Scott's correspondence with [William Learned Marcy] Secretary of War. Copy. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 256.

1846 Sept. 30 **Scott,** Winfield. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Incloses copy of letter to [Maj.] Gen. [Zachary] Taylor [of Sept. 26]; Thomas Sidney Jesup to superintend Quartermaster's Dept. at New Orleans; desire of the Administration to supersede Taylor still prevails; personals. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 256.

1846 Sept. **Pope**, John. Sketch of Monterey, [Mexico], and its approaches, designed to illustrate operations of U. S. Forces under the command of Maj. Gen. Zachary Taylor, Sept. 19–24. A. D. S. 1 p. 41.5 x 52 cm.

1846 Oct. 2 **Peyton**, Balie. Monterey, Mexico. To Crittenden. Capitulation of Monterey; praise for [Brig.] Gen. [William Jenkins] Worth; Crittenden as the next President, with Worth as Secretary of War; has written an account of the capitulation for publication. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 259.

1846 Oct. 9 **Taylor**, Z[achary]. Monterey, Mexico. To Crittenden. The march to Monterey; details of the battle; negotiations for surrender; reasons for liberality; hopes it will be the means of securing peace; cost of continuing the war; lack of civil government in Mexico; description of Monterey. A. L. S. 6 p.

1846 Oct. 11 **Peyton**, Balie. Camargo, Mexico. To "Gen'l" A[lbert] Sidney Johnston. General [Thomas] Marshall misunderstood by Peyton; no insult was intended; regrets the occurrence of having struck Marshall. Copy. 1 p.

1846 Oct. 11 **Marshall**, Thomas. Camargo, Mexico. To Balie Peyton. Has received his communication expressing regret for certain "occurrences," and it is satisfactory. Copy.

1846 Oct. 13 **Crittenden**, John Jordan. Memorandum of lands in Missouri belonging to Crittenden. A. D. S. 1 p. Endorsed: "Duplicate of the within sent to Wm. E. Dunscomb, Jefferson, Missouri."

1846 Oct. 19 **Scott**, Winfield. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Public opinion only prevents [Maj.] Gen. [Zachary] Taylor from being recalled from Mexico; criticized by the administration for the armistice at Monterey; difficulties encountered by Taylor; after two more victories thinks Mexicans will be forced to sue for peace. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 260.

1846 Oct. 23 **Wing**, F[reeman]. Lamine, [Missouri]. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Saint Louis, Missouri. Funds held in his possession; sale of land; price set upon the Choteau Spring property. A. L. S. 3 p.

1846 Oct. 25 **Dunscomb,** William E. Jefferson City, Missouri. To Crittenden. Sale of lands in Missouri for taxes. A. L. S. 2 p.

1846 Nov. 5 **Peyton,** Balie. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Account of his trouble with Thomas Marshall; cause, actions of both parties and the termination. A. L. S. 4 p.

1846 Nov. 15 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Saint Louis, Missouri. Acknowledgment of deeds; price of the land at Choteau Spring; real estate matters. A. L. S. 2 p.

1846 Dec. 10 **Taylor,** Z[achary]. Monterey, Mexico. To Crittenden, Washington, D. C. Arrival of Kentucky volunteers in Mexico; attitude of the administration at Washington; is satisfied that there are secret influences connected with the War Department that will cause unhappy effects; outline of the coming campaign in detail; part the U. S. Navy should take; number of troops needed; probability of securing peace. A. L. S. 8 p.

1846 Dec. 20 **Kennedy,** John Pendleton. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Payment of interest on Maryland bonds; diversity of opinion on the subject; desires a short opinion from Crittenden; trouble over the question of compound interest. A. L. S. 3 p.

1846 Dec. 20 **Scott,** Winfield. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. His tedious passage to New Orleans; great number of applicants for positions on his staff; his "commissioned" staff; hopes to have Crittenden with him in a high official capacity before the end of March; delay of the volunteers may be fatal to his expedition; received a visit from [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 5 p.

1846 Dec. 31 **Mangum,** Willie P. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Crittenden's eulogy on the late Alexander Barrow; expresses his respect and love for Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p. Signature mutilated. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 265.

1847 Jan. 2 **Kinkead,** G[eorge] B. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Acts of present administration make a Whig victory sure at the next Presidential elec-

tion; decline of Henry Clay as leader of the Whigs; desire of friends to use Crittenden's name as candidate for President. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 265.

1847 JAN. 7 **Williams**, George W. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Intention to bring [Henry] Clay in the field again for President; decline in Clay's popularity; Crittenden's possible majority for Governor compared with Clay's strength; condition of the Whig party; hints that Crittenden should run for President. A. L. S. 4 p.

1847 JAN. 24 **Croghan**, G[eorge]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Rumor that Santa Anna is between [Brig.] Gen. [Zachary] Taylor and [Brig. Gen. William Jenkins] Worth; real location of the Mexicans. A. L. S. 1 p.

1847 JAN. 26 **Taylor**, Z[achary]. Monterey, Mexico. To Crittenden. Will care for Thomas L. Crittenden; attitude of the Administration; plans of attack; feeling toward [Maj.] Gen. [Winfield] Scott; detailed account of recent movements; criticises Scott and [William Learned] Marcy; Kentucky volunteers at Monterey; the next Presidency; his apprehensions for the volunteers. A. L. S. 11 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 270.

1847 FEB. 5 **Rives**, W[illiam] C[abell]. Castle Hill, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Attitude the Whigs should take toward the Polk Administration and the war with Mexico; the termination of the war should not be an issue. A. L. S. 3 p.

1847 FEB. 8 **Rives**, W[illiam] C[abell]. Castle Hill, [Virginia]. To Crittenden, Frankfort, Kentucky. Termination of war with Mexico; proposes surrender of New Mexico and Upper California by Mexico; does not believe in "conquering a peace"; outline of a campaign. A. L. S. 4 p.

1847 FEB. 15 **Morehead**, James T. Promissory note to John Glenn, endorsed by Crittenden and Willie P. Mangum; paid. D. S. 1 p.

1847 APR. 2 **Johnson**, Reverdy. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Congratulations on [Brig. Gen. Zachary] Taylor's victory in Mexico; their mutual friends John Glenn and William H. Satchell desire Crit-

tenden to procure whiskey for them. A. L. S. 3 p.

1847 Apr. 8 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Gratitude for expressions of sympathy; publication of letter from [Brig.] Gen. [Zachary] Taylor; receipt of letter from Clay's son [Henry Clay, Jr.] written just before he was killed. A. L. S. 1 p.

1847 Apr. 22 **Dunscomb,** William E. Jefferson City, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Sends tax receipts for land in Missouri and redemption certificate for lands previously sold for taxes; statement of account with Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1847 Apr. 22 **Huston,** George W. Jefferson, Missouri. To Crittenden. Tax and redemption receipts for land in Boone County, Missouri. 4 printed forms filled in. 1 p. each.

1847 Apr. 23 **Stevenson,** Thomas B. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Robert Perkins Letcher. Opinion of William S[egar] Archer that Zachary Taylor must be the Presidential candidate of the Whig party; attitude [Henry] Clay should take; Crittenden must have place in Taylor's Cabinet; ideas should be made known to Clay. A. L. S. 4 p.

1847 Apr. 26 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Dull prospects for sale of lands; real estate matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

1847 May 1 **Stevenson,** Thomas B. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Crittenden. Would prefer [Henry] Clay for President, but not willing to hazard defeat of the Whig party; his faith in [Zachary] Taylor, but action in his favor premature; [Thomas] Corwin would run with Taylor; political downfall of John McLean; honesty and moral tone in politics; Crittenden mentioned as Vice President with Taylor or Winfield Scott. A. L. S. 4 p.

1847 May 15 **[Taylor,** Zachary.] Monterey, Mexico. To Crittenden. His treatment by the Administration; would not refuse Presidency if elected by the people; would be President of the Nation and not of a party; movements and proposed plans of the army under his command; praise [for Thomas L. Crittenden]; his opinion of President Polk and Secretary of War [William Learned Marcy]. A. L. first 8 p. only.

1847 May 21 **Benton,** Thomas H[art]. St. Louis, Missouri. To Crittenden and Robert Perkins Letcher. Introducing Theodore Talbott who was with [John Charles] Frémont on his expedition. A. L. S. 1 p.

1847 May 23 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Saint Louis, Missouri. Finances and real estate matters. A. L. S. 2 p.

1847 May 24 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Controversy between rival governors of California; considers [John Charles] Frémont in the right. Copy. 1 p.

[1847] [June 20] **Stevenson,** Thomas B. Cincinnati, Ohio. To [Robert Perkins Letcher.] Canvas for Presidential nomination; preference for [Henry] Clay; complexion of the Whig party in various parts of the country; local matters. A. L. S. p. 5 to 12 only.

1847 June 28 **White,** J[oseph] L. New York. To Crittenden. Asks if [Henry] Clay approves of [Zachary] Taylor as Presidential candidate; development of "Taylorism" in New York; intention of certain Whigs to run a Northern man; is Taylor a Whig? A. L. S. 4 p.

1847 July 11 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Real estate matters; settlement of accounts. A. L. S. 2 p.

1847 July 22 **Sweringen,** J[ames] T. St. Louis, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Remits money for rents. A. L. S. 1 p.

1847 Aug. 24 **Seaman,** Henry J. New York. To Crittenden. Desires to know how [Zachary] Taylor is regarded by Whigs of the south as a Presidential candidate; disposition to lay [Henry] Clay aside; Taylor's declaration not to be a party candidate. A. L. S. 2 p.

1847 Aug. 24 **Loring,** W[illiam] W[ing]. Hacienda Guadalupe, Mexico. Report to Lieutenant Earl Van Dorn. Detailed account of part taken by regiment of Mounted Riflemen under his command on August 19th and 20th. "Copy for J. J. Crittenden." 7 p.

1847 Sept. 1 **Stevenson,** Thomas B. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Crittenden. Criticism of attitude of [Zachary] Taylor toward the Wilmot proviso; publication of Taylor's letters; is of opinion that Ohio can not be carried

for Taylor for President unless he takes the "No Territory" ground. A. L. S. 2 p.

1847 Sept. 15 **Taylor,** Z[achary]. Monterey, Mexico. To Crittenden. Rumor of negotiations for peace; conditions and movements of the army; design of the Administration and [Maj.] Gen. [Winfield] Scott to drive him out of Mexico or out of the Army; respect for those in authority; complains of army being taken from him; will apply for leave when Scott is in possession of the City of Mexico; his own attitude toward the Presidential nomination. A. L. S. 12 p.

[1847] [Sept. 15?] **White,** J[oseph] L. New York. To Henry Clay. Movement in Kentucky in favor of [Zachary] Taylor for President; regret that [John Jordan] Crittenden favors Taylor in preference to Clay; has Crittenden the approbation of Clay; little interest for Taylor out of Kentucky. Copy. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 282.

1847 Sept. 21 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Encloses letter [from Joseph L. White]; does not indorse any of its conjectures relative to Crittenden. Copy. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 282.

1847 Sept. 22 **Archer,** W[illiam] S[egar]. Amelia, Virginia. To Crittenden. Concern as to recent statements by [Zachary] Taylor; Taylor has formed no opinions on national questions, or he is willing to compromise for general support; Taylor's election certain, but leaders may not assist him; suggestions for consideration. A. L. S. 4 p.

1847 Sept. 26 **Clay,** Henry. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Attitude of Crittenden toward the Presidential nomination; has remained passive himself; mortified at the forwardness of Kentucky for [Zachary] Taylor instead of remaining silent; Taylor's opinions on national questions. A. L. S. 2 p.

1847 Oct. 27 **Scott,** Winfield. Headquarters of the Army, Mexico. To William L[earned] Marcy. Upon request of Brevet Captain [Edmund Brooke] Alexander, asks that J[ames] B[arton] [Stone] Alexander be appointed a cadet at West Point. Copy. 1 p.

1847 Oct. 30 **White,** J[oseph] L. New York. To Crittenden. Opinion that Crittenden had abandoned [Henry] Clay as Presidential nominee; reasons for thinking so; apologizes if there has been any ill feeling. A. L. S. 5 p.

1847 Nov. 12 **Norton,** Charles D. Buffalo, [New York]. To Crittenden. Invitation to address the Young Men's Association of Buffalo. A. L. S. 2 p.

1847 Nov. 13 **Noland,** C. F. M. Batesville, Arkansas. To Crittenden. Political strife in Arkansas among the Democrats; claim of his brother for promotion and pay in the army; favors Zachary Taylor for President. A. L. S. 2 p.

1847 Nov. 15 **Taylor,** Z[achary]. Monterey, Mexico. To Crittenden. General ideas on the Presidential nomination; would retire in favor of some one else; attitude of Henry Clay; slave question; power of appointment; his political convictions; strength of the Whig party; war news; cause of his letter to [James] Buchanan denouncing [Winfield] Scott and [William Learned] Marcy. A. L. S. 12 p.

1847 Nov. 18 **New York** Citizens. To Crittenden. Invitation to address a meeting. L. S. 7 signatures.

1847 Nov. 18 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His correspondence with J[oseph] L. White; White's friendship with Crittenden; desires to see Crittenden before he goes "eastward." A. L. S. 1 p.

1847 Nov. 23 **McNairy,** Boyd. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Election of John Bell to U. S. Senate; beware of him; favors [Henry] Clay in preference to [Zachary] Taylor; suggests that Taylor run as Vice President. A. L. S. 1 p.

1847 Nov. 25 **Williams,** George W. Paris, Kentucky. To Crittenden, Washington, D. C. Attitude of friends of [Zachary] Taylor toward those of [Henry] Clay; "Clay can not be elected;" course to be pursued by Whigs of Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1847 Dec. 4 **Carter,** Joseph. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Indisposed and requests Crittenden to call. 1 p.

1847 Dec. 5 **Prunt,** P. H. Camargo, Mexico. To Crittenden. Believes a conclusive treaty with Mexico impossible; reasons; commerce of Mexico; Whigs of United States should elect [Henry] Clay President. A. L. S. 5 p.

1847 Dec. 6 **Walker,** R. J. [Washington, D. C.] Circular letter setting forth rights of Land Office officials. Printed. 1 p.

1847 Dec. 8 **Travers,** William H. Baltimore, Maryland. To Crittenden. Notification of election as honorary member of the Calocagathian Society of St. Mary's College. A. L. S. 1 p.

1847 Dec. 11 **Turner,** Thomas. Frederick, Maryland. To Crittenden. Presidential candidates; compares political strength of [Henry] Clay with that of [Zachary] Taylor; politics in Maryland. A. L. S. 3 p.

1847 Dec. 12 **Thompson,** Waddy. Greenville, [South Carolina]. To Crittenden. Treaties with the Cherokees and interest on amounts due them. A. L. S. 3 p.

1847 Dec. 12 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. [Henry] Clay's speech at Lexington, Kentucky; Clay will not be nominated "because he can not be elected"; [Zachary] Taylor the favorite of both parties; detailed account of Taylor's reception in New Orleans. A. L. S. 6 p.

1847 Dec. 13 **Warren,** Reuben B. Alabama, New York. To Crittenden. Interest in movement of the Tonawanda Indians to retain their reservation; argument in behalf of the Indians. A. L. S. 4 p.

1847 Dec. 15 **Erodelphian Literary Society** of Cumberland College. Princeton, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Notification of election as honorary member. L. S. by 3 names in one handwriting as a committee. 1 p.

1847 Dec. 20 **L[etcher],** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Zach[ary Taylor]; enmity between [Maj. Gen. Winfield] Scott and [Maj. Gen. William Jenkins] Worth; Scott as a Presidential candidate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1847 Dec. 23 **L[etcher],** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Local matters; effect of the "confidential circular" issued at Lexington; [Henry] Clay about to leave for Washington; George Davidson's opinion of Cas[sius Marcellus] Clay. A. L. S. 3 p.

1847 Dec. 25 **Bibb,** John B. Russellville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Favorable attitude of Kentucky Whigs toward [Zachary] Taylor for President; [Henry] Clay should decline the nomination as a duty to the Whigs. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 JAN. 3 **Taylor, Z[achary].** Baton Rouge, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Reasons for application for leave from the Army; his position as to Presidential nomination the same except he will not withdraw from the canvas; if [Henry] Clay were nominated by Whig National Convention would not expect Crittenden leave the party in favor of Taylor; acquisition of territory; friendly feeling toward Clay; intention to stay at home and not travel about the country. A. L. S. 8 p.

1848 JAN. 5 **Corcoran & Riggs.** Washington, [D. C.] To Willie P[erson] Mangum. Enclose a note which was paid at request of John J[ordan] Crittenden and Mangum. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 JAN. 5 **Anonymous.** Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Rumor that Crittenden favors the nomination of [Zachary] Taylor for President; denounces Taylor's friends and argues that Henry Clay should be nominated at all hazards. Signed: "Compos Mentis." 2 p.

1848 JAN. 6 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. The opposition to [Zachary] Taylor in U. S. Senate; the vote in Senate confirming appointment of Lewis Cass, Jr., as chargé d'affaires to the Pontifical States; nomination of [Ambrose Hundley] Sevier as Boundary Commissioner to Mexico will be rejected; will do all in his power to aid George [Bibb Crittenden]. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 JAN. 7 **Black,** J. M. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Account of his employment as Messenger to Clerk of House of Representatives and subsequent dismissal. A. L. S. 7 p.

1848 JAN. 8 **Davis,** Presley. Shelby City, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Revolutionary claim of his father Capt. Jesse Davis; national politics. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 JAN. 11 **Lord,** Daniel. New York. To Crittenden. Personals; the pilot question before Congress; general opposition to the existing conditions. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 JAN. 11 **Helm,** John L[arue]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Growing popularity of [Zachary] Taylor in Kentucky; fear of offense to Henry Clay; unsettled arrangements of the gubernatorial nominations of the Whig party. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 JAN. 12 **Lincoln,** Abraham. Extract from speech delivered in Congress declaring a people have the right to rise up against a government and form one of their own. Copy. 1 p.

1848 JAN. 19 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Attitude of various statesmen toward nomination of [Zachary] Taylor for President; thinks it would help among the Quakers if Taylor should resign his commission in the army. Copy. 2 p.

1848 JAN. 19 **Cunningham,** Walter. New York. To Crittenden. Editorial comments on wishes of New York Whigs; New York sure of majority for [Zachary] Taylor; nomination of Taylor necessary for Whig victory; admiration for [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 JAN. 20 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Request that he write to [Thomas] Metcalfe; alarm among the Whigs of Kentucky as to the gubernatorial election. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 JAN. 21 **Christy,** William. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Result of the case of Christy, as assignee of A. T. Walden; encloses fee. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 JAN. 21 **Graves,** W[illiam] J[ordan]. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His own nomination [as Presidential elector?]; candidates against him; general prospects; his ideas and beliefs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 JAN. 22 **Coburn,** James W. Minerva, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Approval of Crittenden's remarks on the standing army; is a Henry Clay Whig; proposes monument to William Henry Harrison; locals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 JAN. 25 **Peyton,** Balie. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. [Zachary] Taylor's Views on the Mexican boundary line; favorable prospects for nomination of Taylor. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 JAN. 26 **Philadelphia Whigs.** To Crittenden. Invitation to a dinner to be given in honor of George Washington's birthday and the battle of Buena Vista; intention to put Zachary Taylor before the country as a candidate for President. L. S. by 9 names in one handwriting. 2 p.

1848 JAN. 26 **Richie,** Robert. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Strength of [Zachary] Taylor in the Whig party; those who will oppose him in Philadelphia. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 JAN. 27 **McKinley**, A[ndrew]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, New Orleans, Louisiana. Business matters; sale of real estate; family and personal matters. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 JAN. 28 **Mills**, William H. Bangor, Maine. To Crittenden. Rumor that [Maj.] Gen. [Winfield] Scott has been relieved of command in Mexico, and release of [Maj.] Gen. [William Jenkins] Worth; praises Scott and denounces Worth. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 JAN. 28 **Joy**, George. Pentonville, [New Jersey]. To Crittenden. Purchase of his correspondence with James Madison by Congress; theft of certain papers; the Oregon question; Washington's letter submitting the Constitution to President of Congress; correspondence with [William Ewarts] Gladstone; proposed publication of Madison's works. A. L. S. 6 p.

1848. JAN. 29 **Forward**, Walter. Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Denounces the cabals of Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 JAN. 29 **Pioneer H. Clay Club.** New York. To Crittenden. Invitation to ball given in honor of the ratification of the Treaty of Ghent. L. S. by 5 names in one handwriting, as a committee. 1 p.

[1848] [JAN. ?] **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. [Frankfort, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Distracted condition of the Whig party in Kentucky; resolution in State senate nominating [Zachary] Taylor for President; suggestion of [Archibald] Dixon that Dixon and [William Jordan] Graves should retire from the gubernatorial canvass in favor of Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1848] [JAN. ?] **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. [Frankfort, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Gloomy prospects of Whigs in Kentucky; silence of [Henry] Clay; split between the friends of Clay and Zachary Taylor; question of national convention; suggestion of a Union Ticket. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 FEB. 2 **Armstrong**, Samuel P. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Crittenden. Memorial for Arthur Stevenson, an old soldier; opinion that Henry Clay can not be elected President; Crittenden's popularity next to that of [Zachary] Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Feb. 2 **McNairy**, Boyd. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Favors nomination of [Zachary] Taylor if Crittenden thinks he can save the country; otherwise he thinks Henry Clay more satisfactory; hope for termination of the war. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Feb. 3 **White**, Addison. Richmond, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Crittenden is the only man that can be elected Governor by the Whigs of Kentucky; reasons for this, and intentions of Crittenden's friends. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Feb. 4 **Ewing**, R. A. Buena Vista, [Ohio?] To Crittenden. Opposition to [Zachary] Taylor for President; prefers Crittenden after [Henry] Clay; acquisition of New Mexico would be a curse to the country; acquiring upper California will be good for commercial purposes. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Feb. 7 **Phillips**, A. W. Trenton, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Desires to know if Henry Clay will be a candidate for Presidency. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Feb. 8 **Metcalfe**, Thomas. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Feeling toward [Henry] Clay; favors nomination of Zachary Taylor because "we could elect him"; discussion of the canvass. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Feb. 9 **Thompson**, W[addy]. Edgefield, [South Carolina]. To Crittenden. The Cherokee matters before the U. S. Senate; condition of the Whig party; intentions of [Henry] Clay; [Zachary] Taylor possesses highest qualifications for President. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Feb. 10 **Pendleton**, N[athaniel] G. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Crittenden. Taylor meeting recently held in the city; intention of some to run [Zachary] Taylor at all events; desires Crittenden's views; believes Taylor has the qualification of being elected. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Feb. 13 [**Taylor**, Zachary]. Baton Rouge, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Encloses request to [William Learned] Marcy for appointment of Clay Taylor as subaltern; all eyes on the political parties at Washington; rumor of a treaty with Mexico; the war a political measure to keep the administration party in power; intention to annex the whole of

Mexico; haste in Whig party in bringing forth a candidate; will not withdraw from the canvass; opinion of the military commanders. A. L. 5 p; Signature cut off.

1848 Feb. 14 **Andrews,** A. W. Flemingsburg, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Favors the nomination of [Zachary] Taylor but pained at the hasty efforts of Kentucky to abandon [Henry] Clay; the Whig nominee for Governor of Kentucky; is in low spirits as to the success in Kentucky. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Feb. 16 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Condition of the Whig Presidential canvass in Kentucky; feeling that Crittenden should be the next Governor; Letcher's attitude; local matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Feb. 16 **Morgan,** John H. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires a lieutenancy in the Army; his previous service in the army in Mexico. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Feb. 17 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Strong feeling in favor of [Zachary] Taylor in Kentucky; impossible to elect [Henry] Clay; all is mystery as to the Whig nominee for Governor; R[ichard] M[entor] J[ohnson] probable candidate of the Democrats; question of a National Whig Convention; Metcalfe would not be a nominee for Governor. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Feb. 19 **Pendleton,** N[athaniel] G. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Crittenden. Crittenden's withholding certain information; regrets that he has caused annoyance. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Feb. 19 **Kennedy,** John M. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. The veto power; [Zachary] Taylor's opinion on public questions; suggestions to be made to Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Feb. 20 **Carroll,** N[icholas]. New York. To Crittenden. Account of recent meeting which endorsed [Henry] Clay for President; Clay's popularity in New York; Crittenden the keystone of Clay's strength A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Feb. 20 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Probable result in coming convention; general impression that [Zachary] Taylor will be nominated in preference to Clay; doubt as to whether any other Whig but Crittenden can be

elected governor; harmony in sending delegates to the national convention; Oregon Railroad. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1848] Feb. 21 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Confusion among the Whigs of Kentucky; actions of friends of [Henry] Clay and [Zachary] Taylor in Presidential canvass. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Feb. 23 **Hawes,** R. Paris, [Kentucky]. To [Maria K. Crittenden.] Nomination of [John Jordan] Crittenden for Governor of Kentucky; motives of those who made the nomination; arguments against Crittenden accepting the nomination; [Zachary] Taylor not nominated for President out of respect to [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Feb. 23 **Todd,** H[arry] I. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Enthusiasm over Crittenden's nomination for Governor; excitement before the meeting and efforts made to withhold Crittenden's name; necessity of his acceptance. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1848] Feb. 23 **Brown,** Orlando. [Frankfort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Crittenden should accept the nomination as Governor; indispensable to the success of the Whigs. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Feb. 24 **Swigart,** P[hilip]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Account of the convention which nominated Crittenden for Governor; local gossip; disagreement between Squire Turner and [Archibald] Dixon. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Feb. 24 **Marshall,** H. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Queries as to regulations for mileage of returning volunteers. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Feb. 25 **Woodbridge,** William. Springwells, [Michigan]. To Crittenden. His claim before the U. S. Senate; political career in Michigan; desires aid. A. L. S. 5 p.

1848 Feb. 27 **Combs,** Leslie. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Regrets Crittenden's course in Kentucky politics; discord among the Whigs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Feb. 28 **Preston,** William Ballard, and others. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Regret that Crittenden has accepted nomination for Governor of Kentucky; request him not resign his seat until measures before the Senate are disposed of.

A. L. S. of Preston, signed also: W. L. Goggin, John Pendleton, and Andrew S. Fulton. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 293.

1848 MAR. 1 **Russell,** John W. [Frankfort, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Means and persons who brought about Crittenden's nomination for Governor; condition of politics of the state; local and personal matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 MAR. 1 **Lay,** George W. Batavia, New York. To Crittenden. Favors nomination of [Zachary] Taylor; attitude of Taylor and [Henry] Clay toward the nomination; action of the Kentucky legislature. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 MAR. 3 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. [Zachary] Taylor's party politics; [Henry] Clay's intention to remain in the Presidential canvass; politics in Kentucky; Crittenden's resignation from the U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 MAR. 4 **Harlan,** J[ames]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Circumstances connected with Crittenden's nomination for Governor; Loco-foco convention to be held; [Henry] Clay will succeed Crittenden in U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 MAR. 9. **Huston,** George W. Jefferson, Missouri. To Crittenden. Tax receipts. 2 printed forms filled in. 1 p. each.

1848 MAR. 10. **Dunscomb,** William E. Jefferson City, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Encloses receipts for taxes paid on lands in Missouri. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 MAR. 19 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Saint Louis, Missouri. Business matters; attempts to sell land; boundaries of certain lands. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 MAR. 25 **Taylor,** Z[achary]. Baton Rouge, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Reasons for declining invitations to visit various parts of the United States; ideas on the Presidential canvass; course taken by Henry Clay; argues against National Conventions; has no intention of retiring in favor of Clay; indemnity from Mexico; regrets that Crittenden will leave the Senate; personals. A. L. S. 6 p.

1848 Mar. 31 **Wing**, Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Saint Louis, Missouri. Business matters; sale of lands. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Apr. 4 **Burnley**, A[lbert] T. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Correspondence with George [Bibb Crittenden]; private opinion of [Henry] Clay's characteristics, morals, and vanity; Clay's attitude in the Presidential canvass; impossible to elect Clay; will not vote for a Democrat nor an Abolitionist; Crittenden's attitude toward his nomination for Governor; outline for Crittenden's campaign; publication of letters purported to be written by [Zachary] Taylor. A. L. S. 11 p.

1848 Apr. 10 **Clay**, H[enry]. Ashland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Encloses a note written for publication and desires approval. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 301.

1848 Apr. 15 **Hamilton**, J. New Orleans, Louisiana. Transfer of interest in fees in suit of Bank of United States against Texas to H. R. W. Hill. Copy. 2 p.

1848 Apr. 18 **Goodnow**, Daniel. Alfred, Maine. To Crittenden. Intention of some to nominate Crittenden for President; political situation in the north; comment on the various candidates. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 May 4 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Henry Clay. His opinion on the Presidential canvass; perplexed condition of the Whig party; attitude and declarations of [Zachary] Taylor; strength of [Winfield] Scott in the National Convention. Copy. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 301.

1848 May 11 [**Letcher**, Robert Perkins.] Frank[fort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Minor matters. A. L. 1 p.

1848 May 17 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To [Albert T.] Burnley. Suggestions relative to publication of [Zachary] Taylor's letter to [Henry] Clay. Copy. 1 p.

1848 May 20 **Love**, James. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Unable to attend the Whig National Convention; formation of Whig party in Texas; business embarrassment of A[lbert] T. Burnley. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 May 28 — **Wing**, F[reeman]. La Mine, Missouri. To Andrew McKinley, Louisville, Kentucky. Order of County Court to sell Ashley Springs, owned by Elizabeth Ashley; sale of certain other land. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 June 12 — **Condict**, Lewis. Morristown, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Minor politics; confident of nomination and election of [Zachary] Taylor; Crittenden's resignation from the Senate. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 June 20–Aug. 5 — **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. List of appointments for speeches in his gubernatorial campaign. Copy. 2 p.

1848 June 27 — **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frank[fort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Outlook for the gubernatorial campaign; complexion of Whig politics in certain districts of Kentucky. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 July 1 — **Taylor**, Z[achary]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. His nomination for President by the Whig National Convention; general topics; never intimated intention to retire at end of four years if elected, or who would form his cabinet; return of Volunteers to New Orleans from Mexico; Crittenden's resignation from U. S. Senate; intention to "remain in this section of the country" until after election. A. L. S. 5 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 314.

1848 July 15 — **Metcalfe**, Thomas. Washington, [D. C.] To [Robert Perkins Letcher?]. Rumor of letter from John Jordan Crittenden stating that Henry Clay had been a dead weight to the Whig Party; desires this communicated to Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 July 17 — **Burnley**, A[lbert] T. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To [Crittenden]. [Henry] Clay and his presidential aspirations and candidacy; Crittenden's favors and friendship to Clay. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 July 18 — **Erwin**, James. Lexington, Kentucky. To A[lbert] T. Burnley. Anticipation of a rupture between [Henry] Clay and [John Jordan] Crittenden; attitude of the members of each family; letter alleged to have been written by Crittenden denouncing Clay; Crittenden's majority in the coming election. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 July 27 — **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Madisonville, Kentucky. Quotation from letter alleged to have been writ-

ten by Crittenden against [Henry] Clay; denies the authorship. A. D. S. 2 p.

1848 Aug. 4 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To A[ndrew] McKinley, Louisville, Kentucky. Proposed sale of land containing the Choteau Springs and belonging to Elizabeth Ashley. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Aug. 11 **Clayton,** John Middleton. Buena Vista, Delaware. To Crittenden. Campaign in Pennsylvania; prevalent belief that Taylor will leave enemies of the Whigs in power if elected; [Henry] Clay must now declare himself; outlook in Delaware; Taylor should write no more letters. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Aug. 29 **Peyton,** Balie. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Rejoices at Crittenden's election as Governor of Kentucky; is opposed to [Henry] Clay returning to the U. S. Senate; Clay's attitude in the gubernatorial election; campaign for [Zachary] Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Aug. 30 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Confident of election of Zachary Taylor; possible number of electoral votes; election in Pennsylvania; suggestions as to campaign movements. A. L. S. 3 p.

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1848 Sept. 2 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Forest Retreat, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Leaves to make campaign speeches in Ohio; attitude he must take toward the Abolitionists; is aware of the vigilance of the "enemy"; controversy with C[assius] M[arcellus] C[lay]. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Sept. 2 **Ward,** J. Durbin. Lebanon, Ohio. To Crittenden. Invitation to speak at a mass meeting; the Whig party in Ohio. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Sept. 4 **Butler,** Richard. Mount Clemens, [Michigan]. To William Woodbridge. Desires John J[ordan] Crittenden to speak in Michigan during the coming Presidential campaign. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Sept. 7 **Stevenson,** Thomas B. Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. His feeling toward [Henry] Clay; since publication of [Zachary] Taylor's letters he is losing popularity; result of election in Ohio depends upon slavery question; strong sentiment in Ohio against slavery; [Thomas] Corwin and Presidency. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Sept. 8 **Delavan,** Charles H. New York. To Crittenden. Congratulations on election as governor of Kentucky; enthusiasm in New York for [Zachary] Taylor; opposition of the "Barnburners." A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 8 **Thompson,** W[addy]. Greenville, [South Carolina]. To Crittenden. Revived interest in politics; criticises [John Caldwell] Calhoun. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 9 **Allen,** John W. Cleveland, Ohio. To Crittenden. Pleased at result of recent election in Kentucky; Presidential campaign in Ohio; is sure that [Seabury] Ford will be elected Governor of Ohio. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Sept. 11 **Mower,** J[ames] B. New York. To Crittenden. Congratulations on his election as Governor of Kentucky and the prospects for election of [Zachary] Taylor; confident that Taylor will receive a large majority in New York; campaign in New York. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Sept. 12 **Woodbridge,** William. Springwells, [Michigan]. To Crittenden. Suggests that he visit Michigan; politics of the state; feels assured of a majority for [Zachary] Taylor; Henry Clay should make a declaration in favor of Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 14 **Pendleton,** John. Redwood, Virginia. To Crittenden. Congratulations on recent election in Kentucky; forgery of the "Anderson letter"; the Presidential campaign in Virginia and other states; Zachary Taylor should write no more political letters; system of espionage in the Post Office Department. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 15 **Stanard,** R[obert] C. Richmond, Virginia. To Crittenden. Organization of a Henry Clay party in New York in opposition to [Zachary] Taylor; ideas on the course Clay should take; the campaign in Virginia. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 15 **Trowbridge,** C[harles] A. Detroit, Michigan. To Crittenden. The Clay party in New York in opposition to [Zachary] Taylor; course that Henry Clay should take; Presidential campaign in Michigan. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 16 **Smith,** Truman. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Movement in New York to nominate Henry Clay;

general outlook of the campaign; course of Clay; [Daniel] Webster's speech at Marshfield, Massachusetts. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 17 **Combs,** Leslie. Albany, New York. To Crittenden. Debates in the "Barnburners'" convention; his own speeches at Albany, Syracuse, and future engagements in New York and other States; pecuniary matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 18 **Lawrence,** Abbott. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Confident of a majority for [Zachary] Taylor in most of the New England States; thinks Henry Clay should endorse Taylor; personal conduct in the campaign. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 323.

1848 Sept. 18 **Smith,** O[liver] H[ampton]. Indianapolis, Indiana. To Crittenden. Circumstances compel him to decline to take active part in the Presidential campaign; dubious as to the result in Indiana; effect of the Free-soil party. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Sept. 20 **Hoffman,** O[gden]. New York. To Crittenden. Operations of the Van Buren party in New York; attitude of [Henry] Clay; prospects of the Cass party A. L. S. 7 p.

1848 Sept. 21 **Grinnell,** M[oses] H[icks]. New York. To Crittenden. Predicts great majority for [Zachary] Taylor in New York State; not disturbed by the movement for [Henry] Clay; personal feeling toward Clay. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Sept. 21 **Vance,** Joseph. Urbana, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Timidity of the Whigs toward the Free-soilers at the "Western Reserve"; part taken by [Thomas] Corwin in the Presidential campaign. A. L. S. 2 p. Mutilated.

1848 Sept. 23 **Smith,** Truman. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Views of Zachary Taylor on the annexation of Mexican territory; notes on the political campaign. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 23 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Fatal illness of [William Jordan] Gaves; charges of [Henry] Clay against Crittenden in fall of 1847; Clay's selfishness. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Sept. 24 **Holmes,** I[saac] E[dward]. Charleston, [South Carolina]. To Crittenden. Political prospects of Ohio; only candidate for Congress in South Carolina who advocates Zachary Taylor; disappointed in his colleagues. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 24 **Ewing,** T[homas]. Lancaster, Ohio. To Crittenden. The Presidential campaign in Ohio; Whig majority. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Sept. 26 **Stephens,** A[lexander] H[amilton]. Crawfordsville, Georgia. To Crittenden. Recent encounter [with Judge Cone]; Georgia politics; effective work of [Robert] Toombs; Crittenden's election as Governor of Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Sept. 26 **Delavan,** Charles H. New York. To Crittenden. Failure of the movement for [Henry] Clay in New York; activity of the Barnburners; great enthusiasm for [Zachary] Taylor; general politics. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Sept. 27 **Toombs,** R[obert]. Washington, Georgia. To Crittenden. Injuries received by [Alexander Hamilton] Stephens in encounter [with Judge Cone] on Sept. 3; details of the political struggle in Georgia; predicts a Whig majority; attitude of [John Caldwell] Calhoun and political situation in South Carolina, Tennessee, and other States. A. L. S. 6 p.

1848 Sept. 27 **Todd,** C[harles] S[cott]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Gratifying condition of politics in Pennsylvania; news from various sections. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Sept. 29 **Foster,** Ephraim H. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Congratulations on his election as Governor of Kentucky; incloses newspaper clipping. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Sept. 30 **Rumsey,** Edward. Greenville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Offer of Crittenden to him of the office of first or second auditor of the state. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 1 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Propriety of [Zachary] Taylor visiting Kentucky and Ohio; flattering accounts from various states. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Oct. 3 **Smith,** Truman. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Confident of a Whig majority in Pennsylvania at coming election; not sure of Ohio; distribution of printed documents. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Oct. 5 **Johnson,** Reverdy. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Feels certain that [Henry] Clay will vote for [Zachary] Taylor; esteem and gratitude due Clay from the people; confident that Maryland will give a Whig majority; cheering news from Pennsylvania; grieved at the death of [William Jordan] Graves. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Oct. 6 **Ewing,** Thomas. Lancaster, Ohio. To Crittenden. Election of [Seabury] Ford as Governor of Ohio; the effect of his election on the Presidential campaign; encouraging news from Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 6 **Delavan,** Charles H. New York. To Crittenden. Recent mass meeting in New York; great enthusiasm for [Zachary] Taylor; and there appears to be little excitement for [Lewis] Cass or [Martin] Van Buren. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 6 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Encouraged by Presidential campaign news from Pennsylvania; his confidence in Clayton. A. L. S. 2 p.

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1848 Oct. 9 **Greene,** A[lbert] C[ollins]. Providence, Rhode Island. To Crittenden. Encloses newspaper; recent speech of Leslie Combs; congratulations on election as Governor of Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 10 **Hoffman,** O[gden]. New York. To Crittenden. New Jersey will give a Whig majority; good prospects from Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Oct. 10 **Foster,** Ephraim H. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Political matters; pecuniary matters; confident that Tennessee will give a Whig majority. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 11 **Fry,** John B. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Congratulation on his election as Governor of Kentucky; relations between Crittenden and [Henry] Clay; use of Clay's name since the Whig national convention; feels certain of majority for [Zachary] Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Oct. 12 **Morgan,** Charles W. Georgetown, District of Columbia. To Crittenden. Personals; intended cruize as commander of the Mediterranean Squadron of U. S. Navy; difficulties with Navy Department; Kentucky and National politics; family matters. A. L. S. 7 p.

1848 Oct. 12 **Badger,** George E[dmond]. Raleigh, [North Carolina]. To Crittenden. Personals; is certain that North Carolina will give a majority for [Zachary] Taylor; about to leave on political campaign through the state. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 12 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Buena Vista, Delaware. To Crittenden. Political news from various States; efforts needed in Ohio; has no faith in Georgia. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Oct. 14 **Barnett,** Thomas J. New York. To Crittenden. Introducing [James B.] Mower. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Oct. 15 **Toombs,** R[obert]. Washington, [Georgia]. To Crittenden. The political situation in Georgia; health of [Alexander Hamilton] Stephens and his part in the campaign. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Oct. 15 **Mower,** J[ames] B. New York. To Crittenden. Political character of Thomas J. Barnett; general views on the Presidential campaign; confidence in Crittenden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Oct. 17 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Effect of "Free-soilers" upon the Whig party in Pennsylvania and Ohio; gubernatorial election in both States; confidence in Clayton's work. A. L. S. 3 p.

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1848 Oct. 17 **Smith,** Truman. Washington, [D. C.] Circular letter to citizens of Virginia. Prospects for a Whig success; urges that great efforts be made during the campaign. Lithograph. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Oct. 18 **Dorman,** C. P. Washington, District of Columbia. To Crittenden. Campaigning in Virginia for Zachary Taylor; predicts Whig success in Virginia; cheerful news from Pennsylvania; encloses circular of October 17. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Oct. 18 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Report of recent trip to Ohio; organization in that State; Assistant Postmaster General [William J.] Brown in Cincinnati. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 21 **Starkweather,** S. New York. To Crittenden. Desires appointment for John Livingston as commissioner for Kentucky; Presidential campaign. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 21 **Peyton,** Balie. Gallatin, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Tennessee is safe for [Zachary] Taylor; political situation of various States; Free-soil movement; political comments. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Oct. 21 **Allen,** John W. Cleveland, Ohio. To Crittenden. The gubernatorial election in Ohio and prospects for the Presidential election; optimistic views. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Oct. 21 **Thompson,** R[ichard] W[iggington]. Terre Haute, Indiana. To Crittenden. Political situation of Indiana in detail; effect of the Free-soil movement; dilatory proceedings on the part of the Whigs; situation in other States. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Oct. 22 **Mower,** J[ames] B. New York. To Crittenden. Recent elections in various States; favors Zachary Taylor as Whig Presidential candidate; Crittenden as Premier in Taylor's Cabinet; Congressional election; character of political workers in New York City. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 23 **Grider,** H[enry]. Bowling Green, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Declines office tendered him. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 23 **Delavan,** Charles H. New York. To Crittenden. Expects a Whig majority in New York; fears illegal votes in New Jersey; tariff on coal; cause of reduced price of Nova Scotia coal. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Oct. 24 **Penrose,** Charles B[ingham]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Political contest in Pennsylvania; the State will give a majority for [Zachary] Taylor; difficulties and advantages. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Oct. 24 **Vance,** Joseph. Urbana, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Election of [Seabury] Ford as Governor of Ohio; optimistic views on the presidential election. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 27 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Albert T. Burnley. Reported that [Lewis] Cass will get a majority in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Maryland; this report not believed. Copy. 1 p.

[1848?] Oct. 27 **N[icholas],** S[amuel] S[mith]. To Crittenden. Encloses [plans of] inventions for pumps. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Oct. 29 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Elizabeth Ashley, Saint Louis, Missouri. Real estate matters; sale of lands in Missouri. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Oct. 30 **Loving**, William V. Bowling Green, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Gratified at Crittenden's compliments to him and [Henry] Grider. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Oct. 31 **Delavan**, Charles H. Pottsville, New York. To Crittenden. Great enthusiasm for Taylor and Fillmore and the Tariff of 1842; expects Whig majority of thirty thousand in the state. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Oct. 31 **Bibb**, John B. Russellville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Recommends John B. Temple for office of 1st auditor of the state; expects a majority for [Zachary] Taylor in his district. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1848] Nov. 2 **Johnston**, J[oseph ?]. Harrisburg, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Politics in Pennsylvania; expects a Whig majority throughout the state; comparison with recent elections. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 3 **Burnley**, A[lbert] T. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Apologies for publication of certain letters; the presidential election; feels certain that [Zachary] Taylor will be elected; criticises political character of Lewis Cass; suggests Calhoun Benham for an appointment; consulate at Liverpool. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Nov. 4 **January**, C[harles] C. & Co. St. Louis, Missouri. To Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Money matters. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 5 **Mower**, J[ames] B. New York. To Crittenden. Assurance that [Zachary] Taylor will be elected President; urges Crittenden to become Secretary of State; esteem for [Henry] Clay; foreigners in New York and their vote. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 8 **Clayton**, John M[iddleton]. Buena Vista, Delaware. To Crittenden. Great Whig victory in Delaware; hopes [Zachary] Taylor will not commit himself to a single term. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 8 **Hannegan**, E[dward] A. Covington, [Indiana]. To Crittenden. Result of election in Indiana; asks that Crittenden's exertions in his own behalf be confidential. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 9 **Toombs**, R[obert]. Atlanta, Georgia. To Crittenden. Triumph of Whig party in Presidential election. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 9 **L[awrence]**, A[bbott]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Election in Massachusetts corrupt; certain men have done the mischief; decision of

state legislature will be for [Zachary] Taylor; gives vote of Massachusetts. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 9 **Loomis,** A. W. Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Congratulations on Presidential election; great Whig majority in Pittsburg. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 10 **Austin,** James T[ricothie]. Boston, Mass. To Crittenden. Loss of confidence in [Daniel] Webster; looks to Crittenden as leader of [Zachary] Taylor's administration. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 11 **Pendleton,** John. To Crittenden. Great Whig majority in his district; desires that William C[abell] Rives be a member of President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 11 **Washington and Taylor Union.** Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Congratulations on the recent Presidential election; organization of the Washington and Taylor Union of Pennsylvania; Whig majority in Pennsylvania. L. S. by Adam Dillen, Hugh W. Tener, James Hall, C. Blythe, and Osage Wayne Dhoine. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 11 **Temple,** John B. Russellville, [Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Accepts appointment as first auditor of Kentucky; will leave soon for Frankfort. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 12 **Mower,** James B. New York. To Crittenden. Whig majority in New York for Zachary Taylor; great victory for the Whig party and welfare of the country. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 13 **Vance,** Joseph. Urbana, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Defeat of Whigs in Ohio due to efforts of Free-soilers; large portion of the votes for [Martin] Van Buren taken from the old Whig party; dilatory actions of the Whigs in Ohio; rejoices at the election of [Zachary] Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 13 **King,** Charles. Elizabethtown, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Applies for appointment as collector of the port of New York. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 14 **Seaton,** W[illiam] W[inston]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desire to have [Zachary] Taylor as his guest previous to the inauguration as was [William Henry] Harrison; hopes that Crittenden will act as Taylor's counsellor. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 14 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Election of Zachary Taylor and the use to be made of the victory; Taylor's freedom in forming his cabinet; office seekers. A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON.

1848 Nov. 16 **Smith,** O[liver] H[ampton]. Indianapolis, Indiana. To Crittenden. Urges that Crittenden accept a cabinet office if Zachary Taylor should offer one; the Presidential election in Indiana. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 17 **Morris,** E[dward] Joy. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Desire that Josiah Randall should receive appointment as Attorney General to President Taylor; Randall's character and qualifications. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 18 **Sutter,** John A[ugustus]. Deed to lands in California to John A. Sutter, Jr. Copy. 4 p.

1848 Nov. 18 **Ogden,** David B. New York. To Crittenden. Desires appointment as U. S. District Attorney of New York; pecuniary circumstances; hopes that John L. Lawrence will be appointed collector of the port of New York; Lawrence's political activity. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 19 **Mower,** J[ames] B. New York. To Crittenden. New York politics; Crittenden and President Taylor's cabinet; various candidates for the cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 19 **Pope,** Nathaniel. Alton, Illinois. To Crittenden. Election of [Zachary] Taylor as President; Crittenden and the Cabinet; possibilities of Taylor's administration; the election in Illinois; office seekers. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Nov. 19 **Archer,** W[illiam] S[egar]. Amelia, Virginia. To Crittenden. Urges Crittenden to accept Cabinet office under President Taylor; comment. A. L. S. 7 p.

1848 Nov. 20 **McMichael,** Morton. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's Cabinet; public opinion that Crittenden and [John Middleton] Clayton should go into the Cabinet; general ideas. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Nov. 20 **Gentry,** M[eredith] P[oindexter]. [Nashville, ? Tenn.] To Crittenden. Opinion that Crittenden will be

President Taylor's Secretary of State; his responsibility for the success of the administration; division of Whig party in Tennessee; Crittenden to guard against designing persons. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Nov. 20 **Appleton,** Nathan. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Presidential election in Massachusetts; President Taylor's Cabinet; considers Abbott Lawrence qualified for office of Secretary of the Treasury; adjustment of the tariff a necessary consideration. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 20 **Williams,** John W. Paris, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires support for appointment as postmaster to succeed [John H.] Holt. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 22 **Johnston,** William Freame. Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Presidential election in Pennsylvania; protection to one domestic industry would place Pennsylvania in front rank of Whig States. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 23 **Collier,** John A[llen]. Albany, [New York]. To J[ames] Watson Webb. Would be glad to see Webb receive a foreign mission; offers use of his name if it would be of assistance. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 24 **N[icholas],** S[amuel] S[mith]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Minor matters; people of Kentucky tolerate Crittenden as Secretary of State but would not consider his immediate return to U. S. Senate; others that could fill the State Department. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 24 **Anonymous.** Millidgeville, Georgia. To Crittenden. Suggestion that Crittenden should decline a Cabinet office if he would be a Presidential candidate; mentions false moves of other statesmen. Signed "A Taylor Whig." 3 p.

1848 Nov. 24 **Bebb,** William. Columbus, Ohio. To Crittenden. Reasons why [Thomas] Ewing should be appointed to President Taylor's Cabinet; work of Ewing and [Thomas] Corwin for the Whig party of Ohio; unsettled state of the legislature and of the Whigs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 24 **Richardson,** W. P. Saint Joseph, Missouri. To Crittenden. Desires to return to the Indian Department; his service previous to President Polk's administration. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 24 **Penrose,** Charles B[ingham]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Compares recent Presidential election with French Revolution; desire that Crittenden should fill the first place in President Taylor's Cabinet; its formation. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Nov. 24 **Simmons,** James F[owler]. Providence, Rhode Island. To Crittenden. Recent Presidential election is no idle triumph; Crittenden's influence; President Taylor's Cabinet; prudence necessary for a successful administration. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 25 **Sanders,** L., Jr. Natchez, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Reasons why he did not vote for [Zachary] Taylor; Crittenden should accept a Cabinet office; Taylor a novice in politics; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 25 **Rives,** W[illiam] C[abell.] Castle Hill, Virginia. To Crittenden. Result of the Presidential election in Virginia; the general election a revolution for the country; hopes to see Crittenden in President Taylor's Cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 25 **Allen,** E[lisha] H[unt]. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Presidential election; Crittenden in President Taylor's Cabinet; prospects of the Administration; Presidential electors elected by Massachusetts legislature. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 25 **Corwin,** Thomas. Lebanon, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Recommends John Fruger for office; "free soil Ohio"; President Taylor's Cabinet. Copy. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 26 **Barrow,** Washington. "Steamboat *Ben Franklin.*" To Crittenden. The Presidential election in Tennessee and Kentucky; public opinion designated Crittenden as premier of President Taylor's Cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 26 **Duval,** William P. Tallahassee, Florida. To Crittenden. Popularity of [Zachary] Taylor defeated Duval's election to Congress; did not vote for Taylor because of [Millard] Fillmore being an Abolitionist; esteem for Taylor; slavery question; free negroes should emigrate to Mexico to save the Union; pecuniary difficulties. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Nov. 26 **Hampton,** M[oses]. Pittsburgh, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Great majority in Pennsylvania for Zachary Taylor; Presidential appointments and Cabinet matters. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Nov. 26 **Mower,** J[ames] B. New York. To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's Cabinet; denounces Thurlow Weed; William H. Seward; his "clique" can easily be conciliated; opposes an extra session of Congress in 1849. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. 26 **Kennedy,** John M. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. His private interest in political matters; protection the issue in Pennsylvania; a citizen of Pennsylvania should be made Secretary of Treasury; names several persons who could fill the office successfully. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov 27. **Haymond,** Rufus. Brookville, Indiana. To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's Cabinet; public opinion that Crittenden will be Secretary of State; suggests that Caleb B[lood] Smith be Postmaster General. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 28 **Maxwell,** H[ugh]. New York. To Crittenden. Character, reputation, and qualifications of James Watson Webb; recommends him for the diplomatic service. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 28 **New York,** Citizens. To Zachary Taylor. Petition recommending J[ames] Watson Webb for the diplomatic service. Signed by 14 names, in one handwriting. 2 p.

1848 Nov. 28 **Sprigg,** Samuel. Northampton, Maryland. To Crittenden. Desires an appointment under President Taylor's Administration. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Nov. 29 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Real estate matters; delivery of deeds; payment of purchase money; list of lands sold. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Nov. 30 **Underwood,** W. L. Franklin, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Sacrifices made by Crittenden in accepting Governorship of Kentucky; suggests that he return to the U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Nov. **Lawrence,** Abbott. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Good feeling over the result of the Presidential election in Massachusetts; difficulties encountered. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 2 **Grinnell,** M[oses] H[icks]. New York. To Crittenden. President Taylor's cabinet; activity of J[onathan] P[rescott] Hall previous to the election; suggests that Hall be appointed District Attorney of New York. A. L. S. 8 p.

1848 Dec. 2 **Draper,** S[imeon]. New York. To Moses Hicks Grinnell. Complains that New York is entitled to information concerning President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 2 **Washington,** G[eorge] C[orbin]. Georgetown, D. C. To Crittenden. Congratulations on recent elections; desires political appointment; possible vacancies; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 3 **Gray,** N. E. Hopkinsville, Ky. To Crittenden. Argument why Crittenden should accept a cabinet office in preference to returning to U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 3 **Bullitt,** A[lexander] C. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Opinions why Crittenden should go into President Taylor's cabinet; success of the administration depends upon it; inferences drawn from conversation with Taylor as to formation of the cabinet. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 3 **Toombs,** R[obert]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Disturbance in Democratic party of the south; slavery in District of Columbia; [Henry] Clay must be kept out of the Senate; attitude of [Daniel] Webster toward Zachary Taylor; formation of President Taylor's cabinet; urges that Crittenden accept a cabinet office. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 3 **Mower,** J[ames] B. New York. To Crittenden. Rumor that Crittenden and [John Middleton] Clayton will form part of President Taylor's cabinet; disposition of applicants for office. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 4 **Allen,** James W. Victoria, Texas. To Crittenden. Desires appointment as District Attorney of Texas; his activity in politics. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 4 **Blatchford,** R[ichard] M[ilford]. New York. To Crittenden. Rumor that [Abbott] Lawrence is to be appointed Secretary of Treasury; prefers Webster in cabinet to Lawrence. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec 4 **Granger,** Francis. Canandaigua, New York. To Crittenden. Hopes to see Crittenden and Abbott Lawrence in President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 5 **Lee,** Richard Henry. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Financial difficulties of James W. Co-

burn while postmaster at Maysville, Kentucky; business established in New Orleans by Lee. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 5 **Arnold,** L. H. Kingston, Rhode Island. To Crittenden. Hopes James F[owler] Simmons will be appointed to President Taylor's cabinet; distribution of Presidential appointments; claims of Rhode Island for a cabinet appointment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 5 **Hardin,** B. Rowan. Bardstown, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Anxiety and hope of citizens of Kentucky that Crittenden will enter President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 6 **Fish,** Hamilton. New York. To James Watson Webb. Desire that Webb receive an appointment in the Diplomatic service. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Dec. 6 **Stephens,** Alexander H[amilton]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Names of those rumored for President Taylor's cabinet; hope Crittenden will accept an office or return to U. S. Senate; Taylor's attitude toward slavery. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 6 **Preston,** William Ballard. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Effect of recent Presidential election; duty of the Whig party for a successful administration; urges Crittenden to accept a Cabinet office. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 7 **Taylor,** William H. H. North Bend, Ohio. To Crittenden. Recommends John Scott Harrison for Postmaster of Cincinnati. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 7 **Allen,** John W. Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Forward's services to the country and need of pecuniary employment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 7 **Barrow,** John E. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Desires to succeed Matlock as Indian Agent at St. Joseph, Missouri. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Dec. 7 **Winston,** James. Warsaw, Missouri. To Crittenden. Whigs of Wisconsin want Abiel Leonard appointed Attorney General. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Dec. 8 **Blunt,** J[oseph]. New York. To Crittenden. Desire and hope that Crittenden will enter President Taylor's Cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 8 **Leary,** William A. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Recommends William J. Reese for U. S. Consul; his qualifications; desire to see Crittenden in President Taylor's Cabinet. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 8 **Lee,** Z. Collins. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Rejoices at the Presidential election; business before the U. S. Supreme Court. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 8 **Winthrop,** Robert C[harles]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Encloses clipping from the Boston "Atlas"; unanimous feeling of Whig party that Crittenden be a member of President's Cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 9 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Moses H[icks] Grinnell. Denies rumor that Zachary Taylor has authorized Crittenden to "offer the Treasury Department to Abbott Lawrence"; attitude of Taylor toward Cabinet appointments. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 329.

1848 Dec. 10 **Mitchell,** D[avid] D. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Crittenden should be a member of President Taylor's Cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 10 **Mower,** J[ames] B. New York. To Crittenden. Regrets that Crittenden will not accept a Cabinet office. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Dec. 11 **Calhoun,** John. Owensboro, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Reasons why Crittenden should accept a Cabinet appointment; possibilities of Crittenden succeeding President Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 12 **Johnson,** Reverdy. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Rumor that [Henry] Clay desires to return to U. S. Senate; Clay's designs; would deplore it if elected. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 12 **Smith,** Truman. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Zachary Taylor the only Whig candidate who could have been elected; desires nothing at the hands of President Taylor; organization of his Cabinet. A. L. S. 8 p.

1848 Dec. 12 **[Thornton,** Mrs.] Eutaw, [Alabama]. To Crittenden. Her husband desires appointment as Minister to Mexico. A. L. S. "Sister."

1848 Dec. 12 **Banks,** D. Henderson, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Circumstances that necessitate the consolidation of the Whig party; lack of political experience of [Zachary] Taylor; why Crittenden should accept an office in Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 12 **McNairy**, Boyd. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. His own political sentiments are Ultra Whig; dislike for John Bell and A[llen] A. Hall. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 13 **Clayton**, John M[iddleton]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Believes himself of more value in the Senate than in President Taylor's cabinet; the Ultra Whigs of Philadelphia; opposition to Abbott Lawrence as Secretary of Treasury; thinks Crittenden should be a member of the cabinet; slavery question and admission of new states; expects little from present session of Congress. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 14 **Dayton**, William L[ewis]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Personals; Crittenden must be a member of President Taylor's cabinet; rumor that Lewis Cass will return to U. S. Senate; attitude of [Henry] Clay and Daniel Webster toward Taylor's administration; general sentiment that Clay stay out of the Senate. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 14 **Dade**, John B. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires reappointment as warden of the penitentiary; his circumstances. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 15 **Buchanan**, James M. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. He is a Democratic officeholder [postmaster] but has taken much interest in election of [Zachary] Taylor; willing to surrender his office. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 16 **Webb**, J[ames] Watson. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Death of his wife; would like to succeed Andrew J. Donelson as Minister to Prussia; formation of President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 17 **Hamilton**, James. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Recommends James L. Petigru as Attorney General in President Taylor's cabinet; his character and qualifications. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1848] Dec. 17 **N[icholas]**, S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Canada will be annexed to the United States; dissolution of the Union the result; ideas as to California suggested for Crittenden's message to the Kentucky legislature. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 18 **Allen**, C. H. Palmyra, Missouri. To Crittenden. Recent Presidential election; desires appointment as Register of the Land Office. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 18 **Hampton**, W[illiam]. Mobile, [Alabama]. To Crittenden. Recommends James L. Petigru for office of Attorney General in President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Dec. 19 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Urges Clayton to accept a cabinet office if offered by Zachary Taylor; confidence in liberal policy of Taylor's administration; approves Clayton's project for settling the slavery question. A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON.

1848 Dec. 20 **Allen**, C. H. Palmyra, Missouri. To Crittenden. Recommends Joseph J. Erroh for Register of the Land Office. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Dec. 21 **Ewing**, John H. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Urges Crittenden to accept a cabinet office; should be one cabinet officer from Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 21 **Webb**, J[ames] Watson. New York. To Crittenden. Necessity of Crittenden going into President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 22 **Schouler**, William. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Hopes Crittenden will reconsider his purpose and accede to the unanimous wishes of the Whig party and enter President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 22 **Otis**, John. Hallowell, Maine. To Crittenden. Urges that Crittenden become a member of President Taylor's cabinet; Taylor's principles upon which he was elected; reasons why Abbott Lawrence should be Secretary of the Treasury. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 22 **Pendleton**, John. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Rumor that the State Department was to be offered to Daniel Webster; Kentucky politics; formation of President Taylor's Cabinet; [Henry] Clay should not return to the U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 22 **Hopkins**, A. F. Mobile, [Alabama]. To Crittenden. Presidential election in Alabama; formation of President Taylor's cabinet; endorses Judge

Thornton as Minister to Mexico and John J. Walker as Collector of the Port of Mobile. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 22 **Brooke,** H. P. Rosemont, Virginia. To Crittenden. Rumor that W[illiam] C[abell] Rives is to receive a cabinet appointment from Zachary Taylor; distrusts Rives's political motives. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Dec. 22 **Barringer,** D[aniel] M[oreau]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Urges Crittenden to accept a Cabinet appointment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 23 **Greely,** P. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's Cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 24 **Hall,** J. Prescott. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. The public expects Crittenden to be member of President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 24 **Draper,** S. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's cabinet; why Crittenden should be a member. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 24 **Cunningham,** Walter. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Effect of Crittenden's presence in President Taylor's cabinet upon the senatorial election in New York. A. L. S. 3 p.

1848 Dec. 24 **Tallmadge,** N[athaniel] P[itcher]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Recent Presidential election and cooperation of the Whigs; formation of President Taylor's cabinet; hopes to see Crittenden in the cabinet; suggests John M[iddleton] Clayton and Rufus Choate as cabinet officers. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 25 **Lord,** Daniel. New York. To Crittenden. Public confidence in Crittenden and Zachary Taylor; formation of Taylor's cabinet; general suggestions. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 25 **Kent,** Edward. Bangor, Maine. To Crittenden. Recent Presidential election; Zachary Taylor's cabinet and ideas on a successful administration. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 26 **Indiana** Citizens. Indianapolis, [Indiana]. Petition recommending Caleb B[lood] Smith for some appointment under President Taylor's administration. D. S. by 69 signatures.

1848 Dec. 26 **Indiana** Citizens. Indianapolis, [Indiana]. To Crittenden. Enclose a paper [recommending Caleb

Blood Smith for office] to be disposed of at his discretion. L. S. by D. P. Halloway, John S. Davis, William Herod, Godlove S. Orth, and Hugh O'Neal. 1 p.

1848 Dec. 26 **Wetherill,** John P. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Recommends appointment of Josiah Randall in President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 1 p.

1848 Dec. 26 **Foster,** N[athaniel] G. Madison, Georgia. To Crittenden. Desires a diplomatic appointment; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 Dec. 27 **Foster,** Ephraim H. To Crittenden. Responsibility of Zachary Taylor's administration upon Crittenden; cabinet matters; presidential appointments. A. L. S. 4 p.

1848 Dec. 29 **Ramsey,** Alexander. Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Whig party thinks that Crittenden should be a member of President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1848 **Croghan,** G[eorge]. Memorial to U. S. Congress praying relief for loss of two horses while on his way to Mexico. D. S. 1 p.

[1848] ———. To [Crittenden]. Ratification of the Texas treaty. Signature torn off. 3 p.

1849 Jan. 2 **Tompkins,** P[atrick] W. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Presidential election; firmness necessary in next administration; public sentiment is that Crittenden should be a member of President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 5 p.

1849 Jan. 2 **Penrose,** Charles B[ingham]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Election of Zachary Taylor as President, and suggestions as to formation of his cabinet. A. L. S. 5 p.

1849 Jan. 3 **Duncan,** Garnett. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. An interview with President Polk in presenting petition of George [Bibb Crittenden]; Polk's attitude in the matter. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1849] [Jan. 6] **McClung,** J[ohn] A[lexander]. Maysville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Responsibility of Zachary Taylor's administration upon Crittenden; urges him to become a member of the cabinet; attitude of Henry Clay and his followers. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 Jan. 7 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Wishes to return to

U. S. Senate, but is controlled by circumstances; excitement over the slavery question; dangerous tendency of public meetings; attitude of [Henry] Clay toward return to Senate; Kentucky can not refuse if Clay should desire it; Clay's ill health; Crittenden's recent message; court martial of George [Bibb Crittenden]. A. L. S. 7 p.

CLAYTON.

1849 JAN. 7 **Archer,** William S[egar]. Amelia, Virginia. To Crittenden. Cabinet of [Zachary] Taylor; character more important than talent. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 8 **Birney,** James G[illespie]. Lower Saginaw, Michigan. To Crittenden. Officeholders in Michigan under present administration; political convictions. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 9 **Underwood,** J[oseph] R[ogers]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Result of interview with President Polk relative to reinstatement of George [Bibb Crittenden] in the Army; Polk's attitude and the legality of the court martial. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 9 **Toombs,** R[obert]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Would be glad to see [George Washington] Crawford in President Taylor's cabinet; [William Ballard] Preston's bill for admission of new States; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 10 **Cox,** Samuel H. Brooklyn, New York. To Crittenden. Crittenden's inaugural message to the Kentucky legislature; importance of state papers; sentiments on the slavery question. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 10 **Lunt,** George. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's cabinet; urges appointment of Abbott Lawrence. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 11 **Brackenridge,** W. M. Tarentum, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Political views on national questions; personal recollections. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 11 **Stanner[?],** J. S. To Crittenden. Crittenden's message to Kentucky legislature; minor matters. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 12 **Cooper,** James. Harrisburg, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Recommends Harry Connelly for consul at Liverpool. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 12 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. [Zachary] Taylor's disregard for political

"societies" and pledges relative to a second term; proposed newspaper in Washington; little faith in Gales & Seaton; ideas on formation of President Taylor's cabinet; Taylor's recent meeting with [Henry] Clay; urges Crittenden to go into Taylor's cabinet; ravages of the cholera. A. L. S. 7 p.

1849 JAN. 12 **Miller,** John G. Jefferson City, Missouri. To Crittenden. Recommends Leonard for an appointment in President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 13 **Clarkson,** C. F. Brookville, Indiana. To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's cabinet; opposition to [Caleb Blood] Smith as a member. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 13 **Badger,** George E[dmund]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Business before the U. S. Supreme Court; election by North Carolina legislature; criticises [John Middleton] Clayton's attitude toward slavery; senatorial matters. A. L. S. 6 p.

1849 JAN. 13 **Brown,** Bedford. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Approbation of Crittenden's message to the Kentucky legislature; views on the slavery questions and the problems for President Taylor's administration. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 13 **Russell,** William H. Fulton, [Missouri]. To David D. Mitchell. Russell's attitude toward [Henry] Clay previous to nomination of [Zachary] Taylor by Whig National Convention. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 14 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Attempts made to have President Polk reinstate George [Bibb Crittenden] in the army; Polk's attitude; meeting of convention of slave-holding States; Metcalfe elected president of the convention; also his election to the U. S. Senate. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 15 **Houston,** John W. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. For political reasons due notice necessary to the legislature of Delaware if Zachary Taylor desires [John Middleton] Clayton in his cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 15 **Metcalfe,** T[homas]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Result of report of committee of slave-holding States; opposed to secret meetings. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 15 **Duncan,** Garnett. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Endeavors to have George [Bibb Crittenden] reinstated in the army; Thomas L. Crittenden in Washington; convention of southern states; work outlined for [Zachary] Taylor's administration; anxiety as to election of Senator from Kentucky. A. L. S. 5 p.

1849 JAN. 15 **Prentiss,** S[ergeant] S[mith]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Recommends Richard E. Hammet for marshal of Louisiana. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 16 **Philomathean Society** of the University of Virginia. To Crittenden. Election as honorary member of the Philomathean Society; notification of his election as an honorary member. L. S. by a committee. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 17 **Rogers,** John A. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's cabinet; due notice necessary to Delaware legislature before adjournment if John M[iddleton] Clayton is to be a member of Taylor's Cabinet. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 17 **Mitchell,** D[avid] D. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Attitude of [William H.] Russell toward recent Presidential election; if [Lewis] Cass had been elected Russell was to be Secretary of State; hopes to see Crittenden in Zachary Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 17 **Johnston,** William F[reame]. Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Whig victory in Pennsylvania; conciliation of the factions. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 17 **Johnston,** William Freame. Harrisburg, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Introducing Cornelius Darragh; asks that Darragh be secured an interview with our worthy President [Zachary Taylor?] A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 17 **Irwin,** James W. Allensville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Advantages to be gained by state of Kentucky with Crittenden in the Cabinet; praises Crittenden's message to the legislature. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 18 **Gaines,** John P. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Public sentiment desires Crittenden in President Taylor's cabinet and that [Henry] Clay should not return to U. S. Senate; would also like to see George Evans in the cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 18 **Clements,** R. A. Washington, Indiana. To Crittenden. Presidential appointments; is not seeking office but would not refuse if a position were offered. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 19 **Walker,** D. S. Tallahassee, Florida. To Crittenden. Gratified with views on the Union expressed in Crittenden's message to the Kentucky legislature; Governor Brown of Florida in his inaugural address expressed similar views. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 19 **Wright,** J[ohn] C. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Crittenden. Result of Presidential election in Ohio and Indiana; trouble with the Free-soilers; formation of the cabinet; Northwest should have a representative in cabinet; impression that Crittenden will be Secretary of State. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 19 **Davis,** J[ohn]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Hopes to see Crittenden Secretary of State and Abbott Lawrence in the Treasury Department. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 22 **Irvin,** James, James T. **Hale,** and Andrew G[regg] **Curtin.** Bellefonte, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Recommend Josiah Randall for a position in President Taylor's cabinet; his political character. A. L. S. of Curtin also signed by Irvin and Hale. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 22 **Duncan,** Garrett. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Exertions with President Polk to reinstate George [Bibb Crittenden] in the Army; opposition to return of [Henry] Clay to U. S. Senate; Crittenden's duty to go into President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 22 **Toombs,** R[obert]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Agitation of the slavery question and admission of new states; sentiments on the union and secession of the southern states. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 335.

1849 JAN. 22 **Bingaman,** A[dam] L. Natchez, Mississippi. Resolutions of the Rough and Ready Club relative to recent Presidential Election. D. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 23 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Efforts made with the Adjutant

General for reinstating George [Bibb Crittenden] in the Army; conditions in France require [Henry] Clay there as Minister; threats to dissolve the Union; suggestions for Zachary Taylor's inaugural speech. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 23 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. His credentials to Congress; proceedings of convention of southern states; vote on substitute for [John Caldwell] Calhoun's address. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 23 **Hannegan,** E[dward] A. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Reinstatement of [George Bibb] Crittenden in the Army; popularity of Thomas [Leonidas Crittenden]; assurance that public sentiment expects to see Crittenden Secretary of State; recommends an appointment for Barrow. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 24 **Otis,** John. Hallowell, Maine. To Crittenden. Opposition to appointment of George Evans in cabinet of President Taylor. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 24 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Discusses a circular letter by "Peter Scriber"; ideas on currency and protection; office seekers; general topics. A. L. S. 8 p.

1849 JAN. 25 **Duncan,** Garnett. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Action of Committee on Military Affairs toward reinstating George Bibb Crittenden in the Army. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 25 **Dorman,** C. P. Lexington, [Virginia.] To Crittenden. Virginia Whigs think that Crittenden should become a member of President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 26 **Oliver,** Will. Cincinnati, [Ohio.] To Crittenden. Invitation to Crittenden and Henry Clay to accompany Zachary Taylor on his visit to that city. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 26 **Porter,** Thomas and 5 others. Flemingsburg, [Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Urge that he accept an office in President Taylor's cabinet. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 26 **Archer,** W[illiam] S[egar]. Elk Hill, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Suggests Josiah Randall as member of President Taylor's cabinet; Randall at the Whig National Convention. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 26 **Romeyn,** William H. Kingston, N. Y. To Crittenden. Complimentary subscription to the "Journal." A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 26 **Pike,** James S. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Political reasons why Abbott Lawrence should be a member of President Taylor's cabinet; arguments against [George] Evans; public sentiment that Crittenden should be Secretary of State. A. L. S. 8 p.

1849 JAN. 29 **Martin,** M. A. Clarksville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Recommends G. A. Henry for U. S. Consul at Liverpool; his character and qualifications. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 29 **Hone,** Philip. New York. To Crittenden. Desires appointment as Collector of the Port or Naval Officer at New York. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JAN. 29 **Boerstler,** G. W. Lancaster, Ohio. To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's cabinet; names suggested. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JAN. 30 **Davis,** Jeffer[son]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Exertions for reinstatement of [George Bibb] Crittenden in the Army; regrets return of [Henry] Clay to U. S. Senate; disregards Clay's pledge to support the administration; formation of President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Colemans, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 339.

1849 JAN. 30 **Shackelford,** B. Hopkinsville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Favors Crittenden's going into President Taylor's cabinet; comment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 30 **Swann,** R. Annapolis, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Suggests that [Thomas George] Pratt be appointed U. S. Attorney General. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 30 **Mitchell,** J. K. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Invitation to a celebration in Philadelphia on February 22. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JAN. 30 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Gratitude for favors in behalf of George [Bibb Crittenden]; [Henry] Clay will return to U. S. Senate; his pledge to give the administration a cordial support; confidence in success of Zachary Taylor's administration; action of Delaware legislature for Clayton's successor. A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON.

1849 JAN. 31 **Grinnell,** Joseph. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Character and qualifications of Abbott Lawrence; President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JAN. 31 **Adams,** William R. Natchez, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Incloses resolutions of Rough and Ready Club of January 22. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 FEB. 2 **Clinch,** D[uncan] L. Refuge Plantation, Georgia. To Crittenden. Rumor of Crittenden's dislike for [John Macpherson] Berrien; Berrien's feeling toward Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 FEB. 2 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. George [Bibb Crittenden] has abandoned his intemperance; would recall [Lewis] Cass, [Jr.] and put Edward A. Hannegan in his place; approves Clayton's movements on the slavery question. A. L. S. 2 p.

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1849 FEB. 4 **Mower,** J[ames] B. New York. To Crittenden. Respect of the public for Crittenden and John M[iddleton] Clayton. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 FEB. 5 **Patterson,** R[obert] A. Princeton, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Urges Crittenden to go into President Taylor's cabinet; confidence in Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 FEB. 5 **Preston,** William Ballard. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Hopes he will terminate his connections with Kentucky and come to Washington with Zachary Taylor. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 FEB. 5 **Fenton,** Charles W. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires an appointment under Zachary Taylor's administration. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 FEB. 6 **Sargent,** John O. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Character and qualifications of [Thomas Butler] King and reasons why he should be appointed in President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 5 p.

1849 FEB. 6 **Mitchell,** D[avid] D. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Endorses Edward Bates for Attorney General. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 FEB. 6 **Stephens,** Alexander H[amilton]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Necessity of Crittenden becoming the head in General Taylor's cabinet; Taylor's enemies determined to "rule or ruin"; extent of the crisis. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 Feb. 6 **Crockett,** J[ohn] B. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Recommends Edward Bates for President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Feb. 7 **Brooke,** H. Jones. Harrisburg, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Encloses letter to Zachary Taylor. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Feb. 7 **Brooke,** H. Jones. Harrisburg, [Pennsylvania]. To Zachary Taylor. Recommends Josiah Randall for an appointment in the cabinet. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Feb. 7 **Walker,** J. C., and four others. Brandenburg, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Enclose resolutions urging Crittenden to accept an office in President Taylor's cabinet. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Feb. 7 **Meade County** Citizens. Brandenburg, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Resolutions urging Crittenden to accept a place in [Zachary Taylor's] cabinet. Copy. 1 p.

1849 Feb. 7 **Schley,** William. Annapolis, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Recommends [Thomas Butler] King for Secretary of the Navy. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Feb. 7 **Kinkead,** G. B. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Reasons why Crittenden should be a member of President Taylor's cabinet; claims of the National government upon him and those of Kentucky. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Feb. 8 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Case of reinstatement of Major G[eorge Bibb] Crittenden in the U. S. Army. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Feb. 8 **Butler,** Mann. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Renewal of his commission as Commissioner of Deeds. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Feb. 8 **Benton,** Thomas H[art]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Opinion that findings of court martial in case of [George Bibb Crittenden] were illegal and should be held null by the U. S. Senate; thinks Senate will be unanimous in this. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Feb. 9 **Arnold,** J. M. Paris, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Recommends an appointment for Capt. Hawes; suggests a diplomatic office. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Feb. 9 **Kalfus,** S. N. Jeffersontown, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Formation of President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Feb. 10 **Hicks,** Beverly A. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Approval of election of Zachary Taylor, and hopes Crittenden will be a member of his cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Feb. 17 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Condolence on loss of his son; Clayton as Secretary of State; attitude of Zachary Taylor on the formation of his cabinet; urges Clayton to secure the appointment of [Robert Perkins] Letcher as Postmaster General; claim of Kentucky for a cabinet appointment; anxiety about George [Bibb Crittenden]; liberal feeling of [Thomas Hart] Benton toward Taylor; confidence in [John Charles] Frémont. A. L. S. 7 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Feb. 18 **Foster,** Ephraim H. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Regrets that Crittenden will not accept a cabinet office under President Taylor. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Feb. 19 **Barrow,** Washington. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Asks for a letter to Zachary Taylor recommending him as Minister to Spain. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 Feb. 20 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Question as to who will be Postmaster General; is anxious for an appointment for William M. Beale; Burnley would like to be "Live-oak agent for Louisiana." A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Mar. 1 **Ogden,** David B. New York. To Crittenden. Regrets that Crittenden will not become a member of President Taylor's cabinet; New York office seekers in Washington. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Mar. 4 **Marshall,** Thomas F. Versailles, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Pecuniary matters; desires a loan. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Mar. 5 **Haywood,** William H., Jr. Raleigh, North Carolina. To Crittenden. Praise for Crittenden's patriotism. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Mar. 6 **Marshall,** Thomas F. Versailles, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Personal matters. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Mar. 8 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Characteristics of Zachary Taylor; delicate diplomatic relations with France; locals. Copy. 2 p.

1849 MAR. 8 **Atchison,** D[avid] R. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. President Taylor's cabinet; confirmation of Edward A. Hannegan as Minister to Prussia; possible reinstatement of George [Bibb] Crittenden in the Army. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 MAR. 9 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Encloses letter to President Taylor recommending appointment of [Edward A.] Hannegan [as Minister to Prussia]. A. L. S. 1 p. CLAYTON.

1849 MAR. 12 **Rush,** Benjamin. Philadelphia. To William Ballard Preston. Detailed statement of case in the claim for back pay of the late John Rush, U. S. Navy. Copy. 15 p.

1849 MAR. 13 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Offers "a little wholesome country advice" on public appointments; classification of office seekers; his interest in the administration; is besieged with applications. A. L. S. 4 p. CLAYTON.

1849 MAR. 16 **Meredith,** W[illiam] M[orris]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Notice of reinstatement of Major [George Bibb] Crittenden in the Army. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 MAR. 16 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Washington, [D. C.]. To Crittenden. Belief in the success of President Taylor's administration; will give [Robert Perkins] L[etcher] an appointment; asks if Crittenden would take a foreign mission; arduous duties. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 MAR. 27 **Buchanan,** James M. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Gratitude for being continued in office [Postmaster]. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 MAR. 27 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To John Middleton Clayton. The skill of [Joel] T. Hart as a sculptor; to make a statue of [Henry] Clay; asks that Hart be made bearer of dispatches to U. S. Ministers in Europe. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1849 APR. 2 **Drake,** Charles D. Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Desire of [John Middleton] Clayton that Crittenden go to Washington; difficulty as to the distribution of patronage; Drake favors immediate removal of all Democrats. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Apr. 6 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To John Middleton Clayton. Fears Clayton's arduous labors have depressed his spirits; urges defence against office-seekers; could not leave Kentucky before "next spring;" would then be pleased with a mission to England or France. A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Apr. 8 **Clayton,** John Middleton. Washington, [D. C.]. To Crittenden. Recent conference with President Taylor; offers Crittenden preference between any foreign mission or the consulate at Liverpool for his son or son-in-law; arduous labors and annoyance by office seekers. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Apr. 11 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To John Middleton Clayton. Rumors of disagreements in President Taylor's cabinet; desires to know foundation for this; responsibility upon Clayton; slavery the great obstacle of administration; ill effect of recent appointments from Kentucky; ideas on the mode of securing appointees. A. L. S. 6 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Apr. 14 **McNairy,** Boyd. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Criticises recent appointments in general; would accept consulship at Frankfort on the Main if offered to him. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Apr. 16 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To John Middleton Clayton. Gratitude for favors; Chapman Coleman declines the Consulate at Liverpool in favor of Thomas [Leonidas Crittenden]; Crittenden has no "claims" on the administration. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Apr. 17 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To John Middleton Clayton. Explains his letter of yesterday; gratitude to Clayton; "charming society" of office-seekers. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

[1849] Apr. 17 **King,** Charles. New York. To Crittenden. Needs further influence to defeat opposition for appointment by the President; his opponents. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1849] Apr. 17 **N[icholas],** S[amuel] S[mith]. Louisville, [Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Kentucky statutes; criminal code of District of Columbia; desires certain English reform statutes. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Apr. 17 **Smith,** J[ohn] Speed. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Gratitude for letters of recommendation; regrets that Crittenden is not in President Taylor's cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Apr. 18 **Clayton,** John Middleton. Washington, [D. C.]. To Crittenden. Rumor of dissension in the Cabinet a "Loco-foco" invention; was imposed upon by Truman Smith in appointment of Bradley B. Meeker; personal opinion of Smith and Hugh [Lawson] White; difficulty in securing establishment of the Interior Department; California and New Mexico will be admitted as states; faith in President Taylor; his residence and that of [William Morris] Meredith; will appoint Thomas [Leonidas Crittenden] Consul at Liverpool, and Crittenden Minister to England if he desires; comments on foreign missions. A. L. S. 6 p.

1849 Apr. 23 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Pleased with harmony of President Taylor's Cabinet; friendship between Taylor and Clayton; desires no appointment that would embarrass the administration. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Apr. 26 **Morgan,** Charles W. Georgetown, D. C. To Crittenden. Personals; has been ordered to command the Mediterranean Squadron; restrained from taking his wife; opinion of President Taylor; navy matters; family affairs. A. L. S. 11 p.

1849 Apr. 30 **Yellott,** Coleman. Baltimore, Maryland. To Reverdy Johnson. Conversation with Isaac Munroe relative to Postmastership at Baltimore. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Apr. 30 **Pendleton,** John. Redwood, Virginia. To Crittenden. His defeat in election for Congressman; loyalty to President Taylor the cause of defeat; requests recommendation for foreign mission. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1849?] [Apr. ?] **Triplett,** Robert. London, [England]. To Crittenden. Personal esteem of [George] Bancroft; measures before Parliament for repeal of the navigation laws; political crisis in Europe. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 May 3 **Warrington,** L[ewis]. [Washington, D. C.] To James F. Schenck, Dayton, Ohio. Orders to proceed to

New York to command the S. S. *Ohio*, to be employed in carrying mail between that port and New Orleans. L. S. 1 p.

1849 May 5 **Dunscomb**, William E. Jefferson City, Missouri. To Crittenden. Amount of taxes on Crittenden's lands in Missouri. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 May 7 **Clayton**, John M[iddleton]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires advice on appointment of Leslie Combs to judgeship of Minnesota to succeed [Bradley B.] Meeker; also desires suggestions on diplomatic appointments from Kentucky. L. S. 1 p.

1849 May 8 **Hardin**, B[enjamin] Rowan. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Difficulty of distributing political patronage in Kentucky; John M. Clayton anxious to see Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 May 12 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. False rumor of death of [Bradley B.] Meeker; evil influence of U. S. consuls upon emigrants to America. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 May 14 **Hardin**, B[enjamin] Rowan. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Informed that [Thomas] Ewing "controls" all western appointments; requests letter of recommendation to Ewing. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 May 15 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Asks for letters introducing Matthew F. Ward to persons in Europe. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1849 May 22 **Pendleton**, John. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Criticises John Middleton Clayton; lays blame on him for defeat in Congressional election; contest with [William Cabell] Rives. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 May 25 **Combs**, Leslie. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Displeased with treatment from the Administration; not an office seeker; pecuniary condition; is assailed by critics. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 May 29 **Hardin**, B[enjamin] R[owan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Interview with [Thomas] Ewing to the effect that Kentucky appointments were controlled by President Taylor; interview with Taylor. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 MAY 30 **Buchanan,** James M. Baltimore, [Maryland.] To Crittenden. Personals; removal of diplomatic agents; hopes that [John] Rowan will be retained. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 MAY 31 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Appointment of Thomas [Leonidas Crittenden] as U. S. Consul at Liverpool; general removal of consuls; James Brown Clay to be Chargé d'Affaires to Portugal; other diplomatic appointments; asks for encouragement. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JUNE 1 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Recommends L[andaff] W[atson] Andrews for diplomatic appointment; his political character and qualifications; suggests that Orlando Brown be consulted with reference to Kentucky appointments; confidence in Brown. A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON.

1849 JUNE 2 **Hunt,** F[rank] K. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Declines offer of appointment as Secretary of State of Kentucky. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 JUNE 8 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Approval of proposed diplomatic appointments; confidence in the administration; personals; search made for [Sir John] Franklin; prospects of next Congressional election in Kentucky. A. L. S. 4 p. CLAYTON.

1849 JUNE 9 **Bell,** Joshua F. Danville, [Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Would postpone decision on appointment of Secretary of State of Kentucky; emancipation question and its effect upon the Whig party. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JUNE 9 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Considers mission to Mexico preferable [for Robert Perkins Letcher]; comparison of Eastern and Western states as to appointments. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1849 JUNE 11 **Madison,** D[orothy] P[ayne]. Washington, D. C. Will. Copy. 3 p.

1849 JUNE 22 **Toombs,** R[obert]. Washington, Georgia. To [Mrs. Chapman Coleman]. Numerous complaints against John M. Clayton and fears they are well founded; President Taylor's errors; comparison between

Clayton and Crittenden before the nomination of Taylor. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JUNE 23 **Brown**, Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Departure of Thomas [Leonidas Crittenden] for Liverpool; Brown's cordial reception by President Taylor and his Cabinet; details of interview with [John Middleton] Clayton about Kentucky appointments; J[ames] B[rown] Clay's appointment to Portugal. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JUNE 24 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Suggests that Harvey receive an appointment; [Orlando] Brown and A[lbert] T. Burnley are worthy of his friendship; unequal distribution of patronage by the Administration; rumor that [Robert Perkins] Letcher is to be Minister to Mexico; coming Congressional election in Kentucky. A. L. S. 4 p. CLAYTON.

1849 JUNE 24 **Wing**, Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Elizabeth Ashley. Sale of real estate in Missouri; cholera in the neighborhood; excitement caused by speeches of [Thomas Hart] Benton. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JUNE 27 **Brown**, Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Stateliness of Cabinet officers; account of interview with President Taylor; competition between [Robert Perkins] Letcher and Waddy Thompson; discontent among politicians; personals. A. L. S. 6 p.

1849 JUNE 27 **Thompson**, W[addy]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Suggests compromise between himself and [Robert Perkins] Letcher as to the mission to Mexico. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 JUNE 28 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Attitude of [Robert Perkins] Letcher toward a foreign appointment; criticises President of France; right of people to choose their own government. A. L. S. 4 p. CLAYTON.

1849 JUNE 29 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To John Middleton Clayton. Effect of appointment of James B[rown] Clay to Portugal; any criticism should be suppressed; reconciliation between Henry Clay and President Taylor. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 July 8 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Qualifications of [John] Rowan for a diplomatic appointment; suggests that President Taylor dictate appointments; public opposed to a "Cabinet Administration." A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON.

1849 July 9 **Madison**, D[orothy] P[ayne]. Will. Copy. 2 p

1849 July 10 **Brown**, Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. His duties [as Commissioner of Indian Affairs]; gratitude to [Robert Perkins] Letcher; public dissatisfied with the attitude of President Taylor and his Cabinet; local gossip. A. L. S. 8 p.

1849 July 12 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Orlando Brown. Grieved at news of Brown's ill health; advice as to proper physicians. Copy. 1 p.

1849 July 14 **Collamer**, J[acob]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Appointment of mail agent at Louisville, and reasons for not following Crittenden's recommendation. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 346.

1849 July 14 **Pearce**, J[ames] A[lfred]. Chestertown, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Pearce's lack of influence with President Taylor's Cabinet; deplores Crittenden's refusal to be in the Cabinet. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 July 15 **Sargent**, N[athan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. The Administration's troubles on account of inexperience; the Cabinet is incongruous; administration of President Taylor; necessity of Crittenden's presence in Washington. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 July 18 **Cutts**, J[ames] Madison. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Death of [Dorothy Payne] Madison; explains the provisions of her several wills; claims of J[ohn] P[ayne] Todd to all of the estate. A. L. S. 7 p.

1849 July 20 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Personals; ideas on European politics; United States should interfere; recognition of Hungary; failure of expedition in search for Sir John Franklin; declines Clayton's offer to resign the State Department in his favor; reasons for not writing to President Taylor. A. L. S. 7 p. CLAYTON.

1849 JULY 22 **Burnley**, A[lbert] T. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Incapacity of President Taylor's Cabinet; "they must go out;" confidence in Crittenden and Taylor; tariff and internal improvements; contempt [for John Middleton Clayton]; establishment of the "Republic," and its apparent success; personals. A. L. S. 7 p.

1849 JULY 23 **Crittenden**, John Jordan. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To John Middleton Clayton. Complaint of James A[lfred] Pearce of ill treatment from the Cabinet; Maryland appointments monopolized by Reverdy Johnson; need of conciliation; recommends appointment of Charles H. Constable as chargé to some South American country. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 JULY 24 **Brown**, Orlando. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Interview with President Taylor; charge that Taylor was a mere voter in his Cabinet; his attitude toward the postmaster at St. Louis; success of the "Republic;" humorous remarks [about Robert Perkins Letcher]. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 JULY 25 **Noe**, Allen T. Canton, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Recommends appointment of [Chastian C?] Cannon as midshipman in U. S. Navy; personals; has named his boy Robert Crittenden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 AUG. 3 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Recommends appointment of Hunt Strother as Secretary of the Legation at Paris, but would consult [William C.] Rives; [Robert Perkins] Letcher to go to Washington after State elections. A. L. S. 2 p.
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1849 AUG. 4 **Wing**, Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Valuation of Missouri lands; real estate matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 AUG. 4 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Approves appointment of J. W. Spalding to a consulship. A. L. S. 1 p.
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1849 AUG. 6 **McNairy**, Boyd. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Recent election in Tennessee; local politics; well pleased with President Taylor's administration. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Aug. 15 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Departure of [Robert Perkins] Letcher for Washington delayed by his desire to see President Taylor before he finally leaves for Mexico; awaits advice of Clayton. A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Aug. 22 **Bell,** Joshua. Stanford, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Personals; legal business; state politics. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Aug. 23 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Approves of the idea that [Robert Perkins] Letcher must see President Taylor before leaving for Mexico; Letcher to make a treaty; the administration defies the scrutiny of Congress; the consul at Manchester recalled. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Aug. 29 **Greene,** William. Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Sends a copy of Judge Grimke's work "The Nature & Tendency of Free Institutions"; fears the results of October elections in Ohio. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Aug. 29 **Brown,** Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Smypathy for the death of wife of Robert [Henry Crittenden]; appointments in the Indian service; illness of President Taylor at Erie, Pennsylvania; treatment of recommendations by cabinet officers; negotiations for removal of Florida Indians; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 Sept. 1 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Suggests that [Robert Perkins] Letcher trade his mission to Mexico for the office of Post Master General; approves of removal of Consul at Manchester, England; fears the people will kill President Taylor with kindness on his northern trip. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Sept. 3 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Recommends appointment of John P. Gaines as Governor of Oregon; his political character and qualifications. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Sept. 10 **Smith,** Truman. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Congressional elections in various states; politics of the next House of Congress and work necessary by the Whigs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Sept. 14 **Brown,** Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Arrival of [Robert Perkins] Letcher and party in Washington; Letcher's impression upon the politicians; cabinet officers and President Taylor; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Sept. 16 **Ewing,** T[homas]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Recent visit from [Robert Perkins] Letcher and Orlando Brown; requests Crittenden to visit Washington; personals. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Sept. 20 **Rush,** Benjamin. Philadelphia. To C[ornelius] Darragh. Statement of claim for back pay of late John Rush, U. S. Navy. Extract. 9 p.

1849 Sept. 28 **McIlhany,** F. M. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. His political career in Virginia; pecuniary affairs; desires recommendation for an office. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 Sept. 29 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Approves of correspondence with the French Minister; United States should stand firm against France, the Minister must be dismissed; favors war if France wants it; personal advice as to state affairs. A. L. S. 8 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Oct. 6 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Suggests that John Rowan be retained as chargé at Naples; his character and qualifications. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1849 Oct. 11 **Smith,** Gustavus W. Boston, Mass. To George Washington Crawford. Gives sketch of services in U. S. Army as claim for promotion. Copy. 4 p. Mutilated.

1849 Oct. 12 **Pendleton,** John. Redwood, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Opinion of President Taylor's Cabinet; charges John M[iddleton] Clayton with broken pledges; favoritism in appointment of [William Cabell] Rives to Paris; his own political career and pecuniary matters; respect for President Taylor. A. L. S. 12 p.

1849 Oct. 12 **Preston,** William Ballard. [Washington, D. C.] To Reverdy Johnson. Submits claim of late John Rush for arrears of pay and requests opinion. Copy. 1 p.

1849 Nov. 1 **MacNeill**, William Gibbs. Aldie, Virginia. To Crittenden. Brief sketch of his services in U. S. Army; treatment by President Polk; desires appointment for his son William E. Wyatt MacNeill as cadet to West Point. A. L. S. 6 p.

1849 Nov. 4 **Smith**, J[ohn] Speed. Castle Union, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Humorous invitation for Crittenden to visit him. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Nov. 8 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Was[hington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Personals; John Middleton Clayton's apprehension of a war with France; effect of negotiations with France; explanation demanded by France for dismissal of French Minister [Poussin]; U. S. Minister [William Cabell Rives] prohibited from the court of France; attitude of President Taylor. A. L. S. 4 p.

1849 Nov. 9 **Schaumburg**, James W. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. His discharge from the U. S. Army and efforts to be reinstated. A. L. S. 6 p.

1849 Nov. 10 **Brown**, Thomas D., and 3 others. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Thomas Ewing. Recommend H. M. McCarty for an appointment. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Nov. 10 **Moore**, J. A. Mount Vernon, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires appointment for his son William T. Moore as Assistant Marshal to take the Census; personals and politics. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Nov. 11 **Young**, B[ryan] R. Elizabethtown, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Recommends H. M. McCarty for an office. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Nov. 14 **Jack**, W. W. Bardstown, Kentucky. To Thomas Ewing. Recommends H. M. McCarty for appointment as Marshal of Kentucky; his political character. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Nov. 17 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Trouble in President Taylor's cabinet; various charges alleged against [John Middleton] Clayton; desire of rest of members that Clayton leave the Cabinet; possibility of Crittenden succeeding him; Letcher's efforts. A. L. S. 6 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 348.

1849 Nov. 21 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Less commotion in the political sea

at Washington; President's message is made up; political gossip. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 352.

1849 Nov. 27 **Edwards**, Fred. C. Louisville, Kentucky. To Thomas Ewing. Recommends appointment of H. M. McCarty as marshal of Kentucky. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Nov. 27 **Williams**, Sherod. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Thomas Ewing. Recommends appointment of H. M. McCarty as marshal of Kentucky. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Nov. 28 **Middleton**, Henri F. Shelbyville, Kentucky. To Thomas Ewing. Recommends appointment of H. M. McCarty [as marshal of Kentucky]. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Dec. 1 **Moore**, J. A. Mount Vernon, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Recommends that the fine of John Rimel be reduced; State politics. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Dec. 3 **Lane**, John. Shelbyville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Relative to persons recommended to take the State census. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Dec. 3 **Preston**, W[illiam]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Thomas Ewing. Recommends appointment of H. M. McCarty as marshal of Kentucky. A. L. S. 1 p.

1849 Dec. 7 **Buchanan**, James M. Baltimore, Maryland. To Crittenden. Does not desire to be Governor of Maryland, because of pecuniary matters; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1849 Dec. 20 **Blair**, F[rancis] P[reston]. Silver Spring, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Suggests a remedy for the rushing of blood to the head; his own health and that of [John Cook] Rives; the slavery question at Washington; [John Caldwell] Calhoun and his "instruments" solicitous of breaking the Union. A. L. S. 2 p.

1849 Dec. 25 **Morehead**, C[harles] S[laughter]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Disorganization in the House of Representatives; election of [Howell] Cobb as Speaker; sectional feeling; believes [William Henry] Seward the cause of the difficulties; praises President Taylor's message; complaint against the Cabinet; Crittenden to succeed [John Middleton] Clayton upon dissolution of Cabinet. A. L. S. 7 p.

1850 Jan. 11 **Brown**, Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Effect of slavery on the election of [Howell Cobb]

Speaker of House of Representatives; confidence of President Taylor in his Cabinet; breach between Brown and [Thomas] Ewing over Indian claims; rumor that [Henry] Clay has a compromise scheme; intention of Congress on territorial bills; objection to [Robert Perkins] Letcher's hurried departure for Mexico; construction of Brown's annual report; objection to removal of John Lane as marshal of Kentucky. A. L. S. 11 p.

1850 JAN. 15 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Recommends that J[ohn] J[ordan] Crittenden Bibb be appointed to a clerkship. A. L. S. 1 p. CLAYTON.

1850 JAN. 18 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Orlando Brown. If John Lane is removed as marshal of Kentucky, prefers appointment of John S. Speed; reasons for his preference. Copy. 2 p.

1850 JAN. 25 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Administration has made a favorable impression on the public mind; difficulty with England about Nicaragua; recommends George W. Barbour to succeed Ephraim George Squier at Nicaragua; appointment of B[radley] B. Meeker as Associate Judge of Minnesota. A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON.

1850 JAN. 25 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Orlando Brown. Explains his preference to John S. Speed as marshal of Kentucky; believes continuance of John Lane in office will cause discontent among the Whigs. Copy. 3 p.

1850 FEB. 1 **Brown**, Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Brown's effort for retention of John Lane as marshal of Kentucky; desires advice about appointment of Indian agents; Congressional gossip about [Henry] Clay's compromise resolutions; personals. A. L. S. 8 p.

1850 FEB. 2 **Marshall**, William L. Baltimore, Maryland. To Crittenden. Desire of G[eorge] W[ashington] Custis Lee to obtain a cadetship at West Point; requests Crittenden's assistance. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 FEB. 5 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. His experiences as Minister to

Mexico; social conditions of the Mexicans; cost of provisions; desires leave of absence; wisdom acquired. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 356.

1850 FEB. 10 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Orlando Brown. Intention of C[harles] S[cott] Todd to remove to Minnesota; recommends assistance in securing federal appointment for him. Copy. 3 p.

1850 FEB. 18 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Hopes for an agreement between United States and England relative to Nicaragua; opposes admission of territories under Wilmot Proviso; grieved at complaints against the administration; criticises indifference of [Henry] Clay and [Daniel] Webster. A. L. S. 4 p. CLAYTON.

1850 FEB. 21 **Crittenden**, John Jordan. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Recommends that T[od] Robinson receive a federal appointment in Texas. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1850 FEB. 22 **Barbour**, G[eorge] W. [Frankfort, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Resigns his seat in the Senate of Kentucky to take effect March 4; necessitated by claims of a dependant family. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 MAR. 4–7 **L[etcher]**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. Introduces Walsh, his secretary; various expenses; sends antiquities; intention to save money; delay in receipt of letters. A. L. S. 6 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871, I. 357.

1850 MAR. 10 **Marshall**, H[umphrey]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Discontent of Congress toward President Taylor's cabinet; [John Middleton] Clayton and Thomas Ewing can not remain; neessity of having Crittenden Secretary of State; unsatisfactory course of the administration. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 MAR. 10 **Loughborough**, P[reston] S. Louisville, [Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Gratitude for his appointment as a commissioner to amend the law [relative to civil and criminal proceedings]. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 MAR. 11 **Robinson**, Tod. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Gratitude for letters to Cabinet officers. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 MAR. 11 **Blunt**, J. Albany, [New York.] To Crittenden. Necessity of a change in President Taylor's Cabinet; lack of cooperation; total disregard of political leaders in making appointments; influence of newspapers in New York city. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 MAR. 11 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Recommends appointment of Walter S. McNairy as Secretary U. S. Legation at St. Petersburg. A. L. S. 2 p.

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1850 MAR. 17 **Johnson**, M[adison] C. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Accepts appointment as commissioner to amend the laws of pleading and practice of Kentucky and resigns office as Attorney General of the state. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 MAR. 19 **McNairy**, Boyd. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Gratitude to Crittenden; sentiments of [Ephraim H.] Foster; possibility of meeting of the Southern Convention and evil that will grow out of it. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 MAR. 23 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky.] To Albert T. Burnley. Wants a letter on the "inside operations" at Washington; [Edward] Watson desires appointment as attaché to U. S. Minister at Paris. Copy. 2 p.

1850 MAR. 25 **Todd**, C[harles] S[cott]. Washington, [D. C.] To [John Middleton] Clayton. Claim for expenses while U. S. Minister to Russia; detailed account of claims; opinions of diplomats; precedence; requests that the claim be not rejected. Copy. 9 p.

1850 MAR. 27 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Orlando Brown. Annoyed by his own blunder relative to application for cadetship by Campbell. Copy. 2 p.

1850 MAR. 29 **Barbour**, G[eorge] W. Princeton, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Would accept appointment as commissioner to amend the Kentucky laws if vacancy should occur; subscriptions to stock of the "Farmers' Bank." A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 MAR. 30 **Morehead**, C[harles] S[laughter]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Possible settlement of the slavery question by Congress; opposition to President

Taylor's cabinet; payment of Galphin claim to [George Washington] Crawford; death of [John Caldwell] Calhoun; attitude of the South toward disunion and possible results; [Henry] Clay's attitude. A. L. S. 8 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 361.

1850 MAR. 30 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Hesitated to write because what he must say would be painful to Crittenden; will soon return to Kentucky and tell all he knows; Edward Watson made attaché to U. S. Minister at Paris. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 MAR. 31 **Metcalfe,** T[homas]. Forrest Retreat, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His feeling toward the attitude of Crittenden in the application of Campbell for cadetship at West Point. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1850] [MAR. ?] **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Frankfort, Kentucky]. To George W. Crawford, [Washington, D. C.] Recommends a West Point appointment for the grandson [Campbell] of General [Thomas] Metcalfe. Copy. 1 p.

1850 APR. 2 **Rush,** Richard. Philadelphia. To Reverdy Johnson. Claim for back pay of late John Rush and opinion given by U. S. Attorney General in 1815. Copy. 3 p.

1850 APR. 3 **Hooper,** Henry N., Osmyn **Brewster,** and F. W. **Lincoln,** Jr. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Invitation to the Triennial Exhibition and Fair of Mechanical Industry and Skill. "Copy" by Hooper. 2 p.

1850 APR. 3 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Orlando Brown. Brown should accept mission to Vienna if offered; suggestions about the Federal attorneyship. Copy. 2 p.

1850 APR. 3 **Brown,** Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Encloses copy of Crittenden's letter to George W[ashington] Crawford recommending a cadetship for Campbell; Brown's efforts to secure the appointment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 APR. 4 **Johnson,** Reverdy. Washington, [D. C.] To C[ornelius] Darragh. Will dispose of claim for back pay of late John Rush as soon as convenient. Copy. 1 p.

1850 Apr. 5 **Wickliffe,** C[harles] A[nderson]. Weekland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Appointment as commissioner to amend law of practice in Kentucky. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Apr. 5 **Wright,** Joseph A. Indianapolis, Indiana. To Crittenden. Invitation to attend a Union meeting of all parties at Indianapolis May 29. A. L. S. 1 p. Endorsed: "Answered accepting invitation. J. J. C."

1850 Apr. 6 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Urges that [Robert Perkins] Letcher be granted leave of absence; Administration seems to have no supporters in Congress; basis of a settlement of the slavery question; favors the President's plan, but circumstances may have changed. A. L. S. 3 p.
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1850 Apr. 13 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Orlando Brown. Circumstances of failure of Campbell to secure a cadetship at West Point; California notions of George [Bibb Crittenden]; rumors of dissension in the Cabinet; the Galphin claim; confidence in [George Washington] Crawford; feels that President Taylor will be a safe pilot through the political storm. Copy. 4 p.

1850 Apr. 14 **Wing,** F[reeman]. La Mine, Missouri. To Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Real estate matters; internal improvements. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Apr. 19 **Brown,** Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Causes of failure of Campbell to receive cadetship to West Point; lack of executive ability in President Taylor's Cabinet; envy shown by [Henry] Clay and [Daniel] Webster; no one to espouse Taylor's cause in Congress or in newspapers; Taylor's intention to establish a paper; will be no change in the Cabinet; confidence in [George Washington] Crawford as to the Galphin claim; Brown's intention to resign. A. L. S. 12 p.

1850 Apr. 23 **Toombs,** Robert. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Act of the Administration to give Northern patronage to [William Henry] Seward and his party; ill effect of Seward's antislavery position upon the Whig party; policy of the Administration;

opinion of certain members of the Cabinet; the Galphin claim. A. L. S. 6 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 364.

1850 May 2 — **Hawes,** R[ichard]. Paris, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Sentiments against a change in President Taylor's Cabinet; advises Crittenden not to visit Washington; influence of [Henry] Clay on administration; appointment of Hawes as visitor to West Point. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 May 5 — **Wing,** F[reeman]. La Mine, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Financial and real estate matters. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 May 6 — **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. No discrepancy between his speech and private letters; asks that Mrs. Crittenden have her carriage refitted and sent to Letcher for speculation; personals. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 370.

1850 May 8 — **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Failure to secure harmony between the Administration and the "Republic;" his interview with President Taylor and Cabinet officers; their intention to establish a newspaper; Burnley to buy out the "Republic" and defend the President. A. L. S. 7 p.

1850 May 9 — **Brown,** Orlando. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Movements of Robert [Henry Crittenden]; negotiations of [Albert T.] Burnley to obtain control of the "Republic;" Brown's intention to resign as Commissioner of Indian Affairs; troubled air of President Taylor; Brown's possible successor; debate on [Henry] Clay's bill in the Senate. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 May 14 — **Bright,** Jesse D. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Invitation to call on his family at Madison, Indiana, while en route to Indianapolis. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 May 15 — **Brown,** Orlando. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Purchase of the "Republic" by [Albert T.] Burnley; debate on [Henry] Clay's report and bill; the questionable result; Brown's possible successor; endeavors to secure an appointment in California for Robert [Henry Crittenden]; social matters. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 May 15 **Burnley**, Albert T. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Control of the "Republic" gained by Burnley, and Allen A. Hall to be the editor; terms of the agreement; hopes for Crittenden's approval; fate of Compromise Bill doubtful; the Cabinet. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 May 18 **Brown**, Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Personals; Crittenden's enemies in Washington; [John Middleton] Clayton's treatment of [Alexander C.] Bullitt; [Thomas] Ritchie "in agony" about the new Southern paper; doubt and speculation about national affairs. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 May 22 **Hooper**, Henry N. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Inclosing copy of invitation to deliver an address at the Triennial Exhibition and Fair of Mechanical Industry and Skill. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1850] May 23 **Brown**, Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Resignation of office of Commissioner of Indian Affairs; [Henry] Clay retains his reputation, and has defied friends of President Taylor; Clay's plan versus that of Taylor for a compromise; Crittenden's speech to be made at Indianapolis. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 May 25 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Albert T. Burnley. Pleased at Burnley's control of The "Republic"; advice to secure peace and harmony; sympathy for Robert [Henry Crittenden] who is unable to secure an appointment in California; urges that Burnley become acquainted with [Richard] Hawes. Copy. 3 p.

1850 June 1 **Catron**, J[ohn]. Washington, [D. C.] To J. Thomas. Compromise Bill will pass the Senate, and eventually the House; Thomas should go to Washington and make acquaintances; bill for appointment of a judge in California; knowledge of Spanish laws necessary; possibility of Thomas receiving the appointment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 June 4 **Corwin**, Thomas. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Cause of delay of Crittenden's son's confirmation by the Senate; the Compromise bill impracticable remedy for agitation; President Taylor's plan the only permanent cure. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 JUNE 5 **Burnley**, A[lbert] T. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Leaves for Louisville to take his family to Washington; has urged upon [John Middleton] Clayton that [George W.] Barbour should be appointed Judge of California; suggests that Robert [Henry Crittenden] be made clerk of the court. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 JUNE 6 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. His nomination as Minister to Mexico never acted upon by the Senate; unconcerned personally as to the result; has agreed upon terms for a treaty for a railroad across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec; cholera raging in Mexico; comments on affairs at Washington; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 JUNE 7 **Metcalfe**, Thomas. Indianapolis, Indiana. To Crittenden. His courteous reception at Indianapolis; witnesses a trial for recovery of fugitive slaves; comments; time of his departure. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 JUNE 22 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Name and residence of George W. Barbour; urges that Barbour be given the Judgeship in California or an equivalent; praises Clayton's attitude in the "Cuba affair." A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1850 JUNE 29 **Winthrop**, Robert C[harles]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Invitation to speak at a fair held by the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic Association; promise of President Taylor's presence; desires a speech "on the labor of the country." A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 JULY 1 **Simmons**, J. P. Weldon, North Carolina. To Crittenden. Offers to put Crittenden's name at the head of the columns of the "Herald" as candidate for President. A. L. S. 1 p. Endorsed: "Ansrd in substance that I was no candidate & did not wish to be. J. J. C."

1850 JULY 5 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To [Albert T.] Burnley. Attitude Burnley must have toward President Taylor's Administration; personals; requests Burnley's continued correspondence. Copy. 3 p.

1850 JULY 12 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Joseph Taylor. Requests that remains of General [Zachary] Taylor be buried at Frankfort;

sends resolutions of town council requesting same. A. L. S. 2 p. TAYLOR.

1850 July 17 **Cross,** Alexander. Valparaiso, [Chili.] To James Collier. Relative to contract for building an Iron Warehouse for U. S. Customs Service. L. S. 5 p.

1850 July 24 **Bibb,** John B. Russellville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Crittenden's appointment as Attorney General in President Fillmore's Cabinet. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 July 25 **Smith,** J[ohn] Speed. Castle Union, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Sympathy upon the death of Chapman Coleman, Zachary Taylor, and others; Crittenden should accept office of Attorney General offered him; invites Crittenden's family to his house if the cholera appears in Frankfort. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 July 26 **Hawes,** R[ichard]. Paris, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Urges Crittenden to accept office of U. S. Attorney General; slavery question grown to great consequence; Texas boundary with Mexico difficulty. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 July 30 **Todd,** C[harles] S[cott]. St. Paul, Minnesota. To Crittenden. Sentiments on the death of Zachary Taylor; local politics; political influence of the Fur Co.; appointment of Agents to treat with the Sioux Indians for their lands. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Aug. 5 **Harris & Harrison.** Columbus, Mississippi. To Robert J[ohn] Walker. Desire of Otley to retain Walker as counsel; statement of the case; asks advice. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1850] Aug. 5. **Humphreys** et al. Suit against Miller & Co. Memorandum of authorities. 6 p.

1850 Aug. 5 **Ward,** R. J. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Recommends Calhoun Benham for U. S. District Attorney of California. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Aug. 8 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Appointment of Crittenden as Attorney General will prevent contemplated schism; Clayton's labors as Secretary of State; intention to retire to private life. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Aug. 13 **Pindell,** R[ichard]. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Hopes for revival of friendship between [Henry] Clay and Crittenden; requests appointment of George Ross Harrison as a midshipman in the Navy. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Aug. 18 **Queen,** R[ichard] T. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Politics; desires an appointment for himself or for his son R. Plunkett Queen. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Aug. 23 **Clayton,** John Middleton. New Castle, Delaware. To Edward Stanley. Application papers of T. D. Smyth for consulship in Lower California; attitude of the new Administration toward appointments of late President Taylor. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Sept. 7 **Helm,** John L. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Significance in the fate of Texas boundary bill; confidence in Crittenden; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Sept. 8 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Gratification that Crittenden is in President Fillmore's cabinet; denounces recent criticisms of the Mexican Secretary of Foreign Affairs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Sept. 15 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Disappointed at being detained in Mexico; has instructions to amend the treaty for railroad across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec; Mexican view of the Treaty; claim of Annie Wright; personals; recent newspaper criticisms; respects to Cabinet officers. A. L. S. 8 p.

1850 Sept. 15 **Swigert,** P[hilip]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Solicits aid for securing contracts for engraving U. S. Bonds. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Sept. 25 **Peyton,** Balie. Santiago, Chili. To Crittenden. Grieved at the death of Zachary Taylor; confidence in President Fillmore and his Cabinet; Peyton shamefully treated; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Sept. 26 **Love,** James. Galveston, [Texas]. To Crittenden. Gratified that Crittenden is in President Fillmore's cabinet; policy of the Administration; the Texas question; military protection necessary in Texas. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Sept. 29 **Gaines,** John P. Oregon City, Oregon. To Crittenden. Urges appointment of Jesse Applegate as Surveyor General of Oregon; recommends other appointments; rights of Hudson's Bay and Puget Sound agricultural companies should be purchased; family affairs; personals; approval of the new Cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1850] [Sept.?] **Ewing,** T[homas]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Remarks on fugitive slave law. Endorsed by S[amuel] F[inley] Vinton. A. L. S. Last page only.

1850 Oct. 1 **Rush,** Benjamin. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Encloses papers relative to claim for back pay due the late John Rush, U. S. Navy. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 Oct. 4 **Sedgwick,** Theodore. New York. To Daniel Webster. Trial and sentence of Cristobal Madan by a Spanish Military Commission in Cuba; his innocence and property rights; appeal to Webster. Copy. 4 p.

[1850] [Oct. 4?] **Madan,** Cristobal. Conviction and sentence of Madan and others for treason in Cuba. Copy. 4 p.

[1850] [Oct. 4?] **Spain,** Laws, Extracts. Copy. 2 p.

1850 Oct. 20 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. Introduces Marks; result of attempt to make amendments to the proposed treaty with Mexico; feels that [Daniel] Webster is not satisfied with the negotiations; difficulties experienced in negotiating the treaty. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871, I, 383.

1850 Nov. 12 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. Final disposition of the proposed treaty with Mexico; opposition to amendments urged by [Daniel] Webster; general comment; Personals. Copy. 2 p.

1850 Nov. 13 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. Comment on treaty with Mexico; his labors in the matter; belief that [Daniel] Webster censured him. A. L. S. 4 p. Mutilated. Also copy.

1850 Nov. 15 **Poindexter,** George. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His suit in chancery in U. S. Circuit Court; statement of the case. L. S. 6 p.

1850 Nov. 18 **Grinnell,** M[oses] H[icks]. New York. To Crittenden. Gratified that Crittenden is again at the seat of government; result of the election in New York; politics. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 Nov. 23 **Breckinridge,** Robert J[efferson]. Lexington, [Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Asks assistance for his son Robert J., for a Cadet's Warrant at West Point;

canvass for the nominations for gubernatorial election; political comment. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 384.

1850 Dec. 7 **Queen**, R[ichard] T. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires to be recommended to Thomas Corwin for an appointment. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Dec. 8 **Rush**, Richard. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Gratitude for letter criticizing his views on slavery. Copy. 1 p.

1850 Dec. 12 **Allison**, Richard T. U. S. Store Ship *Supply* off San Francisco, California. To Crittenden. Opposing the formation of a Navy Board. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 Dec. 14 **Chester**, Thomas R. Jonesborough, Tennessee. To the Editors of the Nashville American. Ineffectual attempt to capture fugitive slave on account of Northern opposition to slavery. Newspaper clipping.

1850 Dec. 26 **Barlow**, W. B. To Crittenden. Introducing John Rudd, of U. S. Navy. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Dec. **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Decision in cases of the U. S. *vs.* Turner's Heirs and Coxe et al. Printed. 2 p.

1851 Jan. 3 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Introduces [Thomas] Mejia, who has a draft for portion of indemnity due Mexico; Letcher intends to expose infamous undertaking in Mexico against the U. S. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Jan. 6 **[Crittenden, John Jordan.]** [Washington, D. C.] To President Millard Fillmore. Opinion opposing the right of U. S. marshals to employ counsel at public expense under the fugitive-slave law. Copy. 7 p.

1851 Jan. 12 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Result of the Tehuantepec Treaty; Mexican opposition; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Jan. 28 **Smith**, J[ohn] Speed. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Kentucky legislative matters; sinking fund; canvass for congressional nominations; political gossip. A. L. S. 5 p.

1851 Jan. 30 **Whelpley**, James D[avenport]. New York. To Crittenden. British policy toward public sentiment in American press; urges movement against British aggressions. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 JAN. 31 **Clayton**, John M[iddleton]. Buena Vista, Delaware. To Crittenden. Desires appointment as commissioner, if French spoliation bill should pass; Delaware politics. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 JAN. 31 **Whelpley**, James D[avenport]. New York. To Crittenden. Incloses documents relating to subject matter of recent letter to Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 FEB. 9 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To John Middleton Clayton. Will attend to Clayton's wishes if French spoliation bill passes Congress; glad to have him in Washington; [Robert Perkins] Letcher's return from Mexico; invites Clayton to meet Letcher. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1851 FEB. 21 **Lord**, Daniel. New York. To Crittenden. Personals; comment on election of next U. S. Senator from New York. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 MAR. 3 **Post Office Department.** Extracts from the Act making appropriations for. 2 p.

1851 MAR. 12 **Bates**, George C. Detroit, [Michigan]. To Daniel Webster. Asks for instructions as to testimony in fugitive-slave case. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 MAR. 12 **Bates**, George C. Detroit, Michigan. To Daniel Webster. Desires instructions relative to false telegraphic dispatches. Copy.

1851 MAR. 15 **Metcalfe**, Thomas. Forest Retreat, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Irregularity in granting bounty claims at Washington; has not heard from one claim, and has sent in over seventy. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1851] MAR. 19 **Tayloe**, Julia M. Dickinson. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Invitation to meet [Henry] Clay at dinner. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 MAR. 25 **Ewing**, Thomas. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Crittenden's opinion in the Florida cases. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 MAR. 28 **Smith**, J[ohn] Speed. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Contract for making mailbags; personals. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 MAR. 30 **Hunton**, Logan. New Orleans, La. To Crittenden. Legal business. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 APR. 7 **Trabue**, Charles C. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Enquires if certain persons served in company of R[obert] F. Crittenden under Andrew

Jackson in campaign against Seminole Indians [in Florida]. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 Apr. 12 **Breckinridge**, Robert J[efferson]. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Admits error in requesting appointment for son as cadet to West Point; asks forgiveness. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 385.

1851 Apr. 16 **Smith**, D. Howard. Georgetown, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Sketch of services of Gustavus W. Smith in U. S. Army; injustice done Smith in rank and promotions. A. L. S. 6 p. Mutilated.

1851 Apr. 16 [**Waller**, A. B.] [Washington, D. C.] To [Crittenden]. Copy of section of the Post Office appropriation act and requests explanations. A. L. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 18 **Waller**, A. B. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Relative to Attorney General's opinion on increase of salaries of special agents for Post Office Department. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 19 **Clayton**, P[hilip]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Gives information concerning military service of certain persons during Andrew Jackson's campaign in Florida [against Seminole Indians]. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 21 **Thomas**, L[orenzo]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Statement of service of Robert [F.] Crittenden as ensign in 2d Rifle Regiment. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 Apr. 21 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Robert Jefferson Breckinridge. Explains his situation toward request of Breckinridge for appointment of his son as cadet to West Point. A. D'ft. 5 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 385.

1851 Apr. 23 **Russell**, William H. St. Louis, Missouri. To Crittenden. Leaves for Pacific coast; expects to be assailed by Rutter; desires complete investigation. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 25 **Toombs**, Robert. Washington, Georgia. To Crittenden. Opposition to a paper published at Athens, Georgia; its opposition to President Fillmore's administration; contract for publishing U. S. laws; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 28 **Grainger**, William H. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Appreciates Crittenden's kindness; does

not desire to annoy anyone by asking favors. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apl. 30 **Fillmore**, Millard. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Mormon settlement on Big Bear Island in Lake Michigan. Copy.

1851 May 3 **Breckenridge**, Robert J[efferson]. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Explains his position in asking an appointment for his son as cadet to West Point. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 387.

1851 May 6 **Finnell**, John W. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Asks if Crittenden will be a candidate for U. S. Senate; political situation in Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 May 8 **Webster**, Daniel. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Receipt of hams cured under Mrs. [Ann Mary] Coleman's direction. Copy. 1 p.

1851 May 21 **New York** and Erie Railroad. New York. To Crittenden. Resolution of Board of Directors that a free ticket be issued to President of United States and members of his cabinet. D. S. 1 p. 18 signatures.

1851 May 22 **Thompson**, W. Wilmington, North Carolina. To Crittenden. Money of Indians of North Carolina and Western Cherokees. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 May 29 **Monroe**, James. New York. To Winfield Scott. Application for a political appointment; gratitude to [John Jordan] Crittenden; indorsed to Crittenden with approval, and signed "W. S." A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 May 30 **Kendall**, Amos. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Rumor of an expedition of 6,000 men to leave New Orleans in June for Cuba. Copy. 1 p.

1851. May 31 **Marshall**, H[umphrey]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His candidacy for reelection to Congress; opposition; pecuniary affairs. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 June 16 **Marshall**, H[umphrey]. Newcastle, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires an appointment from President Fillmore; knowledge of Spanish language; confident of a majority in next congressional election; dislikes to withdraw from contest until sure of an appointment; Fillmore as a Presidential candidate. A. L. S. 4 p.

1851 JUNE 16 **Monroe**, James. New York. To Crittenden. Appointment of naval officer at New York. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 JUNE 25 **Winthrop**, Robert C[harles]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Degree of LL.D. to be conferred upon Crittenden by Harvard University; invitation to commencement exercises. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 SEPT. 2 **McCarty**, H. Milburn. Paducah, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires an appointment of minor importance. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 SEPT. 6 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Norfolk, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Departs for Mexico; failure to have an interview with President Fillmore; endeavors to fulfill his mission; employment for Robert [Henry] Crittenden; personals. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 355.

1851 SEPT. 6 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Joseph Rogers Underwood. Has consented to become a candidate for U. S. Senate; does not desire to be a personal opponent of Underwood; would consider it a public rather than a personal controversy. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 140.

1851 SEPT. 8–11 [**Crittenden**, Maria K.] Funeral expenses of. Receipts. 6 A. D's. S.

1851 SEPT. 11 **Jenifer**, D[aniel]. Port Tobacco, Maryland. To Crittenden. Extends his heartfelt sympathy and condolence [on death of Maria K. Crittenden]. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 SEPT. 15 **Whittlesey**, Elisha. Washington, D. C. To Alexander H[ugh] H[olmes] Stuart. Exhaustive opinion on legality of claim of Logan Hunton for fees in prosecuting Narcisso Lopez and others for their invasion of Cuba. A. L. S. 12 p.

1851 SEPT. 16 **May**, William. U. S. S. F. *Saranac*, off Havana, Cuba. To Frederick May. Summary of account of expedition of [Narcisso] Lopez against Cuba; death of the party among whom was [William L.] Crittenden. Extract by J. J. Crittenden. 3 p.

1851 SEPT. 18 **Brown**, Orlando. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Canvass for U. S. Senatorial election; probable opposition to Crittenden; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Sept. 22 **Temple,** J. B. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Extracts from correspondence with [Joseph Rogers] Underwood; his attitude and feelings toward Crittenden relative to contest for U. S. Senatorial election; general comment. A. L. S. 3 p. Mutilated.

1851 Sept. 28 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Orlando Brown. Opposition of Thomas Stephenson to Crittenden's election to U. S. Senate; personals. Copy. 2 p.

1851 Oct. 4 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To John Middleton Clayton. Personals; does not desire appointment as Secretary of State; the Commission on French spoliations. A. L. S. 1 p. CLAYTON

1851 Oct. 8 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Buena Vista, Delaware. To Crittenden. Urges appointment of Charles I. DuPont as Purser in U. S. Navy; brief account of the DuPont family; their politics. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 10.

1851 Oct. 14 **[Crittenden,** John Jordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To Calderon de Barca. Recent mob violence at Key West, Florida, upon Spanish subjects; their mode of procedure against the United States; certain claim of United States subjects against Spain for capture of their barque by privateers. Draft. 4 p.

1851 Oct. 19 **Morehead,** C[harles] S[laughter]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Canvass for U. S. Senatorial election in Kentucky; Crittenden's opponents; legal business. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Oct. 20 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Benjamin Coates. Not "at liberty to sign address to legislature of Liberia"; desirous that independence of Liberia be recognized. Copy. 1 p.

1851 Oct. 22 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Carlisle, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Efforts to sell the Blue Lick property to the U. S. Government for use as asylum for old soldiers; financial status of owners of the property; failure of John B. Campbell to pass medical examination [for entrance to West Point]. A. L.S. 3 p.

1851 Oct. 27 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Buena Vista, Delaware. To Crittenden. Because of ill health James C. Douglass desires his order to sail for Pacific Ocean revoked; success of Crittenden as Acting Secretary of State; if [Daniel] Webster resigns urges Crittenden to accept the office if tendered. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 12.

1851 Oct. 28 **Harvey,** James E. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Possible resignation of Daniel Webster as Secretary of State and succession of Crittenden; general approbation of his letter to the French Minister; disapproval of Webster as Premier. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Oct. 29 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To John Middleton Clayton. Assistance in affair of [James C.] Douglass; comment on rumored resignation of [Daniel] Webster as Secretary of State. A. L. S. 3 p. CLAYTON

1851 Nov. 2 **Hill,** H. R. W. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Appoints Crittenden his attorney to collect interest on enclosed assignment of J. Hamilton. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 Nov. 2 [**Crittenden,** John Jordan.] Washington, [D. C.] To [James E. Harvey]. His knowledge of article printed in "New York Daily Times" relative to negotiations with the French Minister. A. D'ft. 2 p.

1851 Nov. 5 **Harvey,** James E. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Explains his attitude as to recent newspaper articles; refuses to give [Daniel] Webster credit for work of others; political situation in Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Nov. 20 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Desire of Barron[?] to retain Crittenden in suit before U. S. Supreme Court; doubt as to validity of claim of John Belden against United States; suggests investigation by President Fillmore; Letcher is tired of the country and desires leave of absence; cause of bitter opposition to Tehuantepec Treaty. A. L. S. 11 p.

1851 Nov. 25 **Peterson,** Robert E. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Grieved at Crittenden's delicacy in accepting

John Bouvier's "Institutes of American Law"; death of Bouvier. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 Dec. 3 **Brown,** Orlando. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Devotion of Thomas F. Marshall to Crittenden's interests in Senatorial contest; Crittenden's real friends; urges that he answer no communications and leave it all to friends. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 22.

1851 Dec. 8 **Smith,** J[ohn] Speed. Castle Union, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Crittenden's Senatorial contest; opposition of the Democrats. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Dec. 9 [**Crittenden,** John Jordan.] Washington, [D. C.] To Winfield Scott. Explains his course in last Presidential campaign; allegations of Robert [Cumming] Schenck of Crittenden's influence over Scott. A. D'ft. 3 p.

1851 Dec. 11 **Schenck,** James Findlay. U. S. S. S. *Ohio,* New York. To Crittenden. Encloses letter to be forwarded to A. O. Dayton. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 Dec. 11 **Schenck,** James Findlay. U. S. S. S. *Ohio,* New York. To A. O. Dayton, Washington, D. C. Claim for pay as Lieutenant Commander of U. S. Navy. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Dec. 23 **Webster,** Daniel. Washington, D. C. To R[obert] P[erkins] Letcher. Must urge upon the Mexican government that serious consequences may result if Tehuantepec Treaty is not ratified; attitude of U. S. Congress and the people; reliance upon Letcher. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 25.

[1851?] **Stanly,** Edward. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Nomination to fill vacancy in U. S. Supreme Court. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1851?] [Dec. ?] **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Desires to "get away from Mexico;" political conditions in Mexico; impossible to have a treaty ratified by the Congress; people will take a war rather than agree to the Tehuantepec Treaty. A. L. S. 3 p.

1852 Jan. 1 **McCarty,** H. M[ilburn]. Paducah, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Appreciation of Crittenden's expressions of good will and friendship. A. L. S. 1 p.

1852 JAN. 1 **Russell,** William H. Monterey, California. To Crittenden. His office of collector of the port unremunerative; desires Judgeship for Southern District of California. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1852] [JAN. 8] **Corwin,** Thomas. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Ill health; Samuel Houston and candidates at an entertainment given to [Louis] Kossuth. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 38.

1852 JAN. 20 **Anonymous.** De Soto Parish, La. To Crittenden. Fears the Government will be defrauded in settling the William Barr land claim. 1 p.

[1852] [JAN. 20] **Barr,** William, et al. Notes on land grant from the Spanish Government. 1 p.

1852 JAN. 27 **Butterfield,** J[ustin]. [Washington, D. C.] To Solon Borland. [Washington, D. C.] Ruling that a land patent can not issue to Charles P. Bertrand, because of his holding office as Receiver of Land Office. L. S. 2 p.

1852 JAN. 27 **Butterfield,** J[ustin]. [Washington, D. C.] To Charles P. Bertrand, Little Rock, Arkansas. The rules of the Interior Department forbid his receiving land patents. L. S. 2 p.

1852 JAN. 28 **Borland,** Solon. Washington, [D. C.] To Charles P. Bertrand, Little Rock, Arkansas. Encloses letters of Justin Butterfield relative to land patents. A. L. S. 1 p.

1852 FEB. 6 **Wyse,** William A. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Robert Perkins Letcher. His claim against Mexican Government. L. S. 4 p.

1852 FEB. 6 **Wyse,** William A. Account against the Mexican Government. D. S. 1 p.

1852 FEB. 8 **McNairy,** Boyd. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Pleased at Crittenden's offering an appointment to his son; loss of his own position; Whigs of Tennessee. L. S. 2 p.

1852 FEB. 14 **Bertrand,** Charles P. Little Rock, Arkansas. To J[ustin] Butterfield. He has located, and improved his land, and gross injustice and pecuniary loss will result if patents are refused him. Copy. 4 p.

1852 FEB. 16 **Bertrand,** C[harles] P. Little Rock, [Arkansas]. To Crittenden. Encloses papers relative to refusal of Commissioner of Land Office, Justin Butterfield,

to grant a land patent; reasons given; desires assistance. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 Feb. 23 **Rives,** George W. Paris, Illinois. To Crittenden. Desires a clerkship under the Administration; ill health; politics. A. L. S. 3 p.

1852 Feb. 25 **Kennedy,** J[ohn] P[endleton]. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Recommends appointment of [Jonathan] Meredith as Judge of the U. S. Circuit Court; his qualifications and character. A. L. S. 3 p.

1852 Feb. 25 **Meredith,** J[onathan]. New York. To Crittenden. Desires to succeed Upton S. Heath as Judge of the U. S. Circuit Court. A. L. S. 1 p.

1852 Feb. 26 **Hawes,** R[ichard]. Paris, Kentucky. To Crittenden. State Whig convention for Presidential nominee; majority for [Millard] Fillmore as President and Crittenden as Vice President; anti-Kossuth feeling in the State; Cassius [Marcellus] Clay's [Louis] Kossuth speech. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 Feb. 27 **Wintersmith,** R. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. State Whig Convention; Crittenden's refusal to become Presidential candidate; nomination of Millard Fillmore; locals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1852 Feb. 28 **Todd,** C[harles] S[cott]. To Daniel Webster. Claim for certain expenses while U. S. Minister to Russia, precedence. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 Feb. 28 **Defrees,** John D[ougherty]. Indianapolis, Indiana. To Crittenden. Success of Whig state convention; nominate Winfield Scott; quiet as to slavery; comment. A. L. S. 1 p.

1852 Mar. 1 **Anonymous.** To [Crittenden]. Proposed rebellion of the Mormons; details of the plot. 4 p.

1852 Mar. 2 **Crockett,** J. B. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. On his way to California; difficulty between Buckingham Smith and [Robert Perkins] Letcher; fears Smith will endeavor to embarrass Letcher. A. L. S. 4 p.

1852 Mar. 3 **Winthrop,** Robert C[harles]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Encloses copies of speeches which Crittenden should read. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 Mar. 11 **Tuthill,** Louisa C. Princeton, [New Jersey]. To Crittenden. Receipt of "Washington Birthday" pamphlet; general comment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1852 MAR. 27 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. Effect of Crittenden's Washington birthday oration; comment on next Presidential candidate. A. L. S. 4 p.

1852 MAR. 31 **McDuffie,** J. Thomas. Du Buque, Iowa. To Crittenden. Will leave "for the woods" [Minnesota]; Eugene [Crittenden] one of the party. A. L. S. 1 p.

1852 APR. 4 **Neill,** A. Sequin, Texas. To Crittenden. Removal of postmaster requested. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 APR. 17 **Fillmore,** Millard. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires opinion relative to President's right to pardon persons imprisoned for assisting slaves to escape. L. S. 2 p.

1852 MAY 6 **Powell,** L[azarus] W[hitehead]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Fees due in suit of the *Major Barbour* against the *Paul Jones.* A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 MAY 13 **Winthrop,** Robert C[harles]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Personals; coming Presidential nomination. A. L. S. 5 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 36.

1852 MAY 14 **Barney,** John. Washington, [D. C.] To President [Millard Fillmore]. Insolence and impertinence of M. [le comte de] Sarteges. Barney has reported him to his Government. Copy. 3 p.

1852 JUNE 4 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico; [D. F., Mexico] To Crittenden. Desires to be recalled; doubt as to a satisfactory treaty; certain claims against United States; a contingent fee for Crittenden. A. L. S. 4 p.

1852 JUNE 8 **Davis,** Charles Augustus. New York. To Crittenden. General discussion of canvass for Presidential nomination. A. L. S. 4 p.

1852 JUNE 19 **Underwood,** J[oseph] R[ogers]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Division in Whig party may result in nomination of Crittenden for President; approbation of [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 37.

1852 JUNE 22 **Brea,** Ameal. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His imprisonment; ill health; petition to be pardoned. A. L. S. 4 p.

[1852] JULY 6 **Parmalee,** T[heodore] N. Buffalo, New York. To Crittenden. [Winfield] Scott's presence at anniver-

sary of battle of Lundy's Lane would be impolitic. A. L. S. 1 p.

1852 July 9 — **Adams,** Benjamin A. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To [Albert T. Burnley]. Encloses invitation to [John Jordan] Crittenden to deliver an eulogy on the Life of [Henry] Clay, at Louisville. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 July 12 — **Walden** et al. *vs.* Proctor et al. Opinion of the Circuit Court of the 8th Kentucky District. Copy. 118 p.

1852 July 22 — **Brown,** Orlando. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Reasons why Crittenden should be appointed to fill vacancy on U. S. Supreme Bench; his right to the appointment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 July 31 — **Adams,** Benjamin A. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Personal gratification that Crittenden will deliver eulogy on life of [Henry] Clay; apology for Adams's injustice to Crittenden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1852 July 31 — **Adams,** Benjamin A. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. September 29 is the day appointed for Crittenden's eulogy on life of [Henry] Clay. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 July 31 — **Coleman,** Ann Mary. [Frankfort, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Family matters. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1852] [July ?] — **Barston,** H. F. [Washington, D. C.?] To Crittenden. Appreciation of Crittenden's treatment of him. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 Aug. 30 — **Lewis,** Charles D. New York. To Hamilton Fish. Claim for pay as Deputy Inspector of Revenue; circumstances of his appointment; revenues collected. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 Sept. 17 — **Fish,** Hamilton. New York. To Crittenden. Claim of [Charles D.] Lewis [for pay as Deputy Inspector of Revenues]. A. L. S. 1 p.

1852 Oct. 9 — **Toombs,** R[obert]. Washington, Georgia. To Crittenden. Claim of Genl. Watson; politics dull in Georgia; [Winfield] Scott can not carry the state. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 Oct. 14 — **Todd,** C[harles] S[cott]. Shelbyville, Kentucky. To [Crittenden]. Claim for expenses while U. S. Minister to Russia. A. L. S. 1 p.

1852 Oct. 28 — **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Ann Mary Coleman. Personals relative to Crittenden Coleman. A. L. S. 3 p.

1852 Nov. 16 **Train**, George Francis. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Introduces Samuel F. Train who desires pursership in the U. S. Navy; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1852?] [Nov. ?] **Fillmore**, Millard. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Encloses portion of message to be rewritten. Copy. 1 p.

[1852] Dec. 5 **Toombs**, R[obert]. Roanoke Plantation, Georgia. To Crittenden. Outcome of Presidential election; Legal matters; [Franklin Pierce followers were] a dirty set of gamesters; Gen. [Winfield] Scott's supporters were canting hypocrites; prefers preservation of the Union even if by the destruction of the Whig party. A. L. S. 2 p.

1852 Dec. 18 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frank[fort, Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Sincerity of [Landaff] Watson Andrews in recent Senatorial election; social life in Kentucky; recent Presidential election. A. L. S. 7 p.

1853 Jan. 15 **Powell**, L[evin] M[yne]. Washington, [D. C.] To [Robert] Toombs. Condition of horses for sale by estate of late [Charles W.] Morgan. A. L. S. 2 p.

1853 Jan. 16 **Toombs**, R[obert]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Arrangements with Mrs. [Charles W.] Morgan. A. L. S. 1 p.

1853 Jan. 24 **Clayton**, John M[iddleton]. Buena Vista, Delaware. To Crittenden. The Bulwer-Clayton Treaty and Lewis Cass; praise for Crittenden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1853 Jan. 25 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Social life; joke on Orlando Brown; urges Crittenden not to accept office under President Pierce. A. L. S. 4 p.

[1853] Jan. **Wilkins**, William. Homewood. To Crittenden. Personals; marriage of Crittenden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1853 Feb. 2 **Buchanan**, James. Wheatland, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Desire to remain in private life; Crittenden's marriage. Copy. 1 p.

1853 May 30 **Hite & Small**. Bill to Crittenden for carpet. 1 p.

1853 July 5 **Hite**, W. C. Louisville, Kentucky. Receipt to Crittenden in settlement of account. A. D. S. 1 p.

1853 July 23 **Johnson,** M[adison] C. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Suggests successor of late John McKinley of U. S. Supreme Court. A. L. S. 1 p.

1853 Oct. 1 **McFarland,** John S. Owensboro, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Canvass for state and U. S. Senatorial election. A. L. S. 3 p.

1853 Oct. 17 **Tucker,** Beverly. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Appreciation for Crittenden's kindness; newspaper articles on Free-soil party. A. L. S. 1 p.

1853 Oct. 18 **Smith,** J[ohn] Speed. Castle Union, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Senatorial election; letter of [James] Guthrie; state politics. A. L. S. 2 p.

1853 Dec. 6 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Indianapolis, Indiana. To Elizabeth Crittenden. Court matters; Ole Bull. Copy. 1 p.

1854 Jan. 7 **Scott,** Winfield. New York. To Crittenden. Application of Major Alexander; Scott's bill before Congress; asks aid. A. L. S. 4 p.

1854 Jan. 29 **Smith,** G[ustavus] W[oodson]. West Point, New York. To Crittenden. Applicant for commission as field officer; desires assistance. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 Jan. 30 **Benton,** Thomas H[art]. To Crittenden. Receipt of statements from Crittenden and [John Middleton] Clayton; country to be convulsed and Henry Clay's labor buried with him. Copy. 1 p.

[1854] [Feb. 5] **N[icholas],** S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Rumor of repeal of Missouri Compromise in the Nebraska bill; the South wants quiet on the slavery question. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 Feb. 7 **Dixon,** Archibald. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Organization of Nebraska and Kansas, with repeal of Missouri Compromise; Crittenden as Presidential candidate; warns him not to commit himself in speeches. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1878; II, 101.

1854 Feb. 22 **Grinnell,** M[oses] H[icks]. New York. To Crittenden. Gratified with Crittenden's stand on the Nebraska Bill. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 101.

[1854] Feb. 23 **Grinnell,** Moses H[icks]. New York. To Crittenden. Approves course taken toward Nebraska bill; names others who concur. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 Feb. 23 **Johnson,** J[ames] L. Owensboro, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Requests letter of introduction for Dr. Howard who leaves for New Orleans, Louisiana. A. L. S. 1 p.

1854 Feb. 23 **Morris,** Marcella. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Death of her husband; employment of children; desires pecuniary aid. A. L. S. 4 p.

1854 Feb. 24 **Cabell,** E[dward] C[arrington]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Urges Crittenden not to commit himself on the Nebraska Bill. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 Mar. 6 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Presley Ewing, Washington, D. C. Question of admission and slavery should be left to the states as substitute for Missouri Compromise; South should not disregard the compromise. A. L. S. 1 p. Endorsed "Reply by telegraph to Mr. Ewing's telegraphic despatch." Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 103.

1854 Mar. 7 **Blair,** F[rancis] P[reston]. Silver Spring, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Sends Maryland memorial for the opinion of the Kentucky legislature; negro phrensy. A. L. S. 1 p.

1854 Mar. 7 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Archibald Dixon. Has no aspirations to be Presidential candidate; opinion on questions arising from the Nebraska bill. A. L. S. Marked "Copy." 6 p. Also Copy. 6 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 102.

1854 Mar. 10 **Corwin,** Thomas. Lebanon, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Nebraska bill and Missouri Compromise; wants to know Crittenden's position toward Presidency. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 104.

1854 Mar. 12 **Johnston,** J. C. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Visit of Millard Fillmore to Kentucky and his reception. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 Mar. 12 **Johnston,** J. C. and 2 others. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Desire to know if Millard Fillmore will accept a public dinner in his honor. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 Mar. 17 **Ward,** Matthew F. Elizabethtown, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Accepts Crittenden's offer to defend him. A. L. S. 3 p.

1854 Mar. 18 **Ward,** R[obert] J. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Acceptance of Crittenden's offer to defend Matthew F. Ward. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 105.

1854 Mar. 21 **Scott,** W[infield]. New York. To Crittenden. Kentucky Legislature's resolution to Congress recommending rank of lieutenant general for Scott; public sentiment; personals. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 105.

1854 Mar. 21 **Smith,** Persifor F[razer]. Corpus Christi, Texas. To Lorenzo Thomas. Recommends leave of absence be granted Major G[eorge] B[ibb] Crittenden and Lieut. Jerome [Napoleon] Bonaparte. Copy. 2 p.

1854 Mar. 28 **Scott,** W[infield]. New York. To Crittenden. Leave of absence for Major [George Bibb] Crittenden; bill in New York legislature recommending advanced rank for Scott. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 117.

1854 Apr. 1 **Ward,** Matthew F. Elizabethtown, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Wishes to know if he may publish the fact that he will be defended by Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 Apr. 3 **Scott,** Winfield. New York. To Crittenden. Leave requested by Major [George Bibb] Crittenden and Lieut. [Jerome Napoleon] Bonaparte; little hope of advancement in rank of Scott; political gossip. Copy. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 106.

1854 Apr. 7 **Sanders,** George N. London, [England]. To Crittenden. His confirmation by U. S. Senate as Consul at London; income of the office; the Greek movement; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

[1854] Apr. 10 **Ward,** Matthew F. Elizabethtown, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Requests Crittenden's presence a few days before Ward's trial; gratitude and confidence. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1854] [Apr. 27] [**Crittenden,** John Jordan.] Memorandum relative to argument of [Sylvester] Harris in trial of Matthew F. Ward. A. D. 1 p.

1854 Apr. **Griffith,** Isaac S. et al. *vs.* Bogart et al. Opinion in the case. 17 p.

[1854] [Apr.] **Ward, Robert J., Jr.** Testimony given at trial of Mathew F. Ward. 5. p.

[1854] [Apr.] **Ward, Matt[hew] F.** Memorandum of testimony taken at his trial for killing [William H. G. Butler]. A. D. 3 p.

1854 [Apr.] **Griffith** et al. *vs.* Bogart et al. United States Circuit Court, St. Louis, Missouri. Action in ejectment. Opinion of Judge [Robert W.] Wells. 11 p.

1854 May 22 **Corwine, R[ichard] M.** Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Article in the Cincinnati "Gazette" defending Crittenden for being counsel for Matthew F. Ward; heartily approves Crittenden's action. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 May 29 **[Crittenden, John Jordan.]** Frankfort, Kentucky. To Anderson. Reasons for his voluntary offer to act as counsel for Matthew F. Ward. A. L. First 4 p. only.

1854 May 29 **Crittenden, A[lexander] P.** San Francisco, [California]. To Crittenden. Crittenden to act as counsel in land suits appealed to U. S. Supreme Court from California; position of S. W. Inge. A. L. S. 3 p.

1854 June 1 **Drake, John J.** New York. To Crittenden. Acknowledges a favor. A. L. S. 1 p.

1854 June 2 **[Crittenden, John Jordan.]** Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Anderson. His right and duty by profession to act as counsel for Matt[hew] F. Ward; circumstances of the case. A. D'ft. 6 p.

1854 July 14 **Crittenden, J[ohn] J[ordan].** Blue Lick, [Kentucky]. To Elizabeth Crittenden. Personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 Aug. 25 **Stephens, Joseph L.** Boonville, Missouri. To Crittenden. Invitation to speak at fair of the Missouri State Agriculture Society. A. L. S. 3 p.

1854 Sept. 22 **Hunton, Logan.** Danville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Necessity of a Whig leader in Congress; suggests that Crittenden advise the Party on the slavery question. A. L. S. 3 p.

1854 Oct. 13 **Toombs, R[obert].** Washington, Georgia. To Crittenden. Encloses invitation to speak at fair of the Georgia Agricultural Society. A. L. S. 1 p.

1854 Oct. 25 **Carneal, Thomas D[avis].** Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. False rumor of loss of money by Carneal's son Louis on a bet that [George H.?]

Pendleton would be elected; personals. A. L. S. 1 p.

1854 Nov. 9 **Scott,** Winfield. New York. To Crittenden. Condolence on death of J. J. Crittenden, Jr.; delight in New York election; is done with politics except for the preservation of the Union. A. L. S. 4 p.

1854 Nov. 13 **Benson,** J. S[eth]. Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden, Asks advise about a legal career for himself. giving data relative to his preparation. A. L. S. 3 p.

1854 Nov. 21 **Pintard,** John M. Rodney, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Inquiry about case before the U. S. Supreme Court. A. L. S. 2 p.

1854 Nov. 22 **Thrasher,** J. B. Port Gibson, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Desires to retain Crittenden as counsel before the U. S. Supreme Court; legal matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1854?] **Jenefer,** D[aniel]. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Crittenden's and [James G.] Birney's abuse; may abuse Jenefer as much as they like. A. L. S. 1 p.

1855 Jan. 1 **Wing,** Charles F. Greenville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Wing's services in U. S. Army in 1812–13; expenditures; claim for bounty land. A. L. S. 3 p.

1855 Jan. 16 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Publication of Crittenden's letter to members of the Kentucky Bar; gossip and personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1855 Jan. 22 **Thrasher,** J. B. Port Gibson, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Payment of fees; incloses briefs. A. L. S. 2 p.

1855 Jan. 23 **Chana,** et al. *vs.* United States. Confirmation of land claims by Board of Commissioners of California. Copy. 3 p. With map, 1 p., and printed-form filled-in certificate, 1 p., by John C. Hays, Surveyor Gen'l of Cal. Seal attached.

1855 Jan. 25 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Personals; Know-nothings on the increase; possible candidates for Governor; gossip. A. L. S. 4 p.

1855 Jan. 29 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Local matters; growth of Know-nothing party not so great; gossip. A. L. S. 3 p.

1855 FEB. 25 **[Letcher,** Robert Perkins.] Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Progress of his suit in the courts; actions of the Know-nothings. A. L. S. 4 p.

1855 MAR. 27 **Ward,** R[obert] J. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Sends a gift as a token of friendship and gratitude. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 110.

1855 APR. 21 **Wing,** Freeman. La Mine, Missouri. To Crittenden. Receipts from sale of real estate. A. L. S. 1 p.

1855 APR. 24 **Blair,** M[ontgomery]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Forwards a draft received from California. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1855] MAY 1 **Ward,** Matt[hew] F. Cannelton, Indiana. To Crittenden. Gratitude to Crittenden; asks aid in vindicating himself before the public; is on his way to Helena, Arkansas. A. L. S. 4 p.

1855 MAY 4 **Weir,** James. Owensborough, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Transfer of certain stock to the estate of Robert Triplett. A. L. S. 1 p.

1855 MAY 5 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Robert J. Ward. Receipt of silver plate; holds it as token of friendship and a testimony of loyalty. A. D'ft S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 111.

1855 MAY 7 **Blair,** M[ontgomery]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Fee in [John Charles] Frémont case. A. L. S. 1 p.

1855 MAY 8 **Kennedy,** Jos[eph] C[amp] G[riffith]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Land warrant will be issued to Crittenden; hopes Crittenden will be Presidential nominee; probable defeat of [Henry Alexander] Wise in Virginia; trouble in President Pierce's cabinet over Kansas question. A. L. S. 2 p.

1855 MAY 12 **Newby,** John L. Wheeling, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Statistics showing probable majority for American party in Virginia's next election. A. L. S. 2 p.

1855 MAY 14 **Amsden,** J. Versailles, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Encloses account against E[ugene] W. Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p.

1855 MAY 18 **Blair,** M[ontgomery]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Payment of fee due Crittenden as counsel for [John Charles] Frémont. A. L. S. 2 p.

1855 May 28 — **Blair**, M[ontgomery]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Encloses draft on John Cook. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1855] [June 2] — **Burnley**, A[lbert] T. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Desires copy of Crittenden's letter to [Archibald] Dixon [of Mar. 7, 1854]; Missouri Compromise; fugitive slaves; necessity of a party compromise. A. L. S. 1 p.

1855 June 8 — **Blair**, M[ontgomery]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Balance of fee due Crittenden; desire of [John Charles] Frémont to have report of Crittenden's argument. A. L. S. 3 p.

1855 June 12 — **Burnley**, A[lbert] T. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. The [Know-nothing] convention at Philadelphia; their platform; personal ambition of delegates; praise for Kentucky delegation. A. L. S. 3 p.

1855 July 5 — **Semple** *vs.* United States. In the United States District Court for Northern California. Decree confirming claim of petitioner to land. Copy. 3 p.

1855 July 8 — **Boyd**, James R. & Son. Account against the U. S. receipted to Lieut. E[ugene] W[ilkinson] Crittenden. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Aug. 20 — **Virginia American Party**. Lynchburg, Virginia. To Crittenden. Invitation to convention at Lynchburg. L. S. by a committee of 12.

1855 Aug. 25 — **Pennsylvania Railroad Company**. Account against the U. S. receipted to Lieut. E[ugene] W[ilkinson] Crittenden. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Sept. 22 — **Elder**, John. Account against the U. S. receipted to Lieut. E[ugene] W[ilkinson] Crittenden. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Oct. 5 — **Reynolds**, J[ames] N. New York. To Crittenden. Doubts whether or not Crittenden should attend the American Convention in New York; comment on Presidential canvass. A. L. S. 3 p.

1855 Oct. 5 — **Armstrong**, William M. Staunton, Virginia. To G[arrett] J[esse] Pendergrast. Retirement of Armstrong; desires to know circumstances. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Oct. 8 — **Pendergrast**, G[arrett] J[esse]. Warrenton, Virginia. To William M. Armstrong. Refers Armstrong to Navy Department for information; broken friendship. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Oct. 15 **Armstrong**, William M. Staunton, Virginia. To G[arrett] J[esse] Pendergrast. His feelings and result of retirement from U. S. Navy; has been unjustly treated. Copy. 3 p.

1855 Oct. 22 **Armstrong**, William M. Staunton, Virginia. To G[arrett] J[esse] Pendergrast. Comment on recent promotions and retirements in the U. S. Navy; criticises navy board. Copy. 4 p.

1855 Oct. 26 **Klopfer**, H[enry] A. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Sends package of private letters found in U. S. Attorney General's Office. A. L. S. 1 p.

1855 Nov. 3 **Wilson**, John S. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Bill for charges paid on transportation of bust. A. L. S. 1 p.

1855 Nov. 30 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Detailed account of the Louisville mass meeting; various speakers; local matters. A. L. S. 4 p.

1855 Dec. 3 **Armstrong**, William M. Norfolk, [Virginia]. To J[ames] M[urray] Mason and R[obert] M[ercer] T[aliaferro] Hunter. Relationship between members of Navy board; recent retirements and promotions. Copy. 4 p.

1855 Dec. 4 **Armstrong**, William M. Norfolk, [Virginia]. To C[ornelius] K[inchiloe] Stribling. Feels that he has been wronged by the navy board; partiality in promotions and retirements. Copy. 4 p.

1855 Dec. 13 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, Ky. To Crittenden. Difficulty in Kentucky House of Representatives in electing speaker; opposes leadership of H[umphrey] Marshall; political activity of Philip Swigert in Kentucky; locals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1855 Dec. 18 **Russell**, William H. Harrisonville, Missouri. To Crittenden. Favors Crittenden as Presidential candidate; chances of election. A. L. S. 3 p.

1855 Dec. 19 **Sands**, B[enjamin] F[ranklin]. Washington, D. C. To Charles Morris. Invention for examining bottom of the sea. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Dec. 20 **Bache**, A[lexander] D[allas]. [Washington, D. C.] To James Guthrie. Invention of B[enjamin] F[ranklin] Sands for examining bottom of the sea; its advantages. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Dec. 20 **Park,** G. J. Leavenworth, Kansas. To Crittenden and John B. Thompson. Mob violence at recent election; aid refused by U. S. troops; expects aid from Congress; although a slaveholder opposes the principle; denounces the governor's "address to the people." A. L. S. 3 p.

1855 Dec. 21 **Armstrong,** William M. Norfolk, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Has been unjustly retired from U. S. Navy, asks aid. A. L. S. 1 p.

1855 Dec. 24 **Ballenger,** Frank. Mississippi Rapids, Iowa. To Crittenden. Peaceful family life; fears repeal of Missouri Compromise. A. L. S. 2 p.

1855 Dec. 24 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Trouble in electing speaker of Kentucky House of Representatives; suggests a plan of compromise; Kentucky politics; local matters; personals. A. L. S. 5 p.

1855 Dec. 24 **Washington,** G. P. [Washington, D. C.] To B[enjamin] F[ranklin] Sands. Order for delivery of specimen tubes. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Dec. 24 **Sessions** *vs.* Pintard. Brief for defendant by Crittenden. Printed copy. 1 p.

1855 Dec. 25 **Jenkins,** Thornton A. Washington, [D. C.] To B[enjamin] F[ranklin] Sands. Recommendation of the specimen tube. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Dec. 25 **Morris,** C[harles]. [Washington, D. C.] To John Lenthall. Recommends use of specimen tubes invented by [Benjamin Franklin] Sands. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Dec. 27 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Canvass for Presidential nominee; political gossip; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1855 Dec. 27 **Bache,** A[lexander] D[allas]. [Washington, D. C.] To B[enjamin] F[ranklin] Sands. Recommends his specimen tubes in coast survey work. Copy. 1 p.

1855 Dec. **Griffith** et al *vs.* Bogert et al. In the Supreme Court of United States. Brief. 25 p. and copy of deed. 4 p.

1855 Dec. **Culberson,** William B., *vs.* the owners of the steamer *Southern Bell.* Opinion of the Supreme Court of the U. S. Printed. 4 p.

[1855?] **Kansas:** Laws. Resolutions in U. S. Senate and House of Representatives relative to. D'ft. 7 p.

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intention to publish a newspaper edited by many conservative writers. A. L. S. 4 p.

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1856 Nov. 25 **Todd,** C[harles] S[cott]. Shelbyville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Illness of Todd's son; personal claims against the United States; division of their estate. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1856] Dec. 2 **N[icholas],** S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Party control in Congress; fate of the country. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1857?] Jan. 30 **Napier,** Lady. [Washington, D. C.] To Elizabeth Crittenden. Answer to invitation to attend soirée at National Hotel. A. L. in 3d person. 1 p.

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1857 Dec. 4 **Gillespie**, Eugene F. Sacramento, [California]. To Crittenden. Desires confirmation of title to certain California lands; full statement of circumstances; fee. A. L. S. 4 p.

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1857 Dec. 16 **Washington**, Lewis W. Beall-Air, Va. To Crittenden. Desires advice with reference to [George Wash-

ington's] Farewell Address; has discovered a draft by [Alexander] Hamilton; invitation to Crittenden and party of friends to visit him. A. L. S. 3 p.

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[1857] Dec. 21 **Kansas** Constitution. Memoranda showing fraudulent votes for Lecompton constitution by precincts. 1 p.

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1857 Dec. 29 **Todd**, C[harles] S[cott]. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Encloses report of president of Southern Pacific Railroad; desires that Congress favor them. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1857] **Revolutionary** pensions. Memoranda taken in U. S. Senate relative to speeches and bill referring to same. 8 p.

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1858 Jan. 2 **Morris**, Walter J. Richmond, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Requests public documents. A. L. S. 1 p.

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1858 Jan. 15 **Randolph,** Joseph F[itz]. Trenton, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Force of the Douglas schism; New Jersey politics and prospects. A. L. S. 3 p.

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1858 Jan. 17 **Carneal,** Thomas D. Washington, [D. C.] Financial matters; investments. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Jan. 20 **Minge,** C[harles] H. Mobile, [Alabama]. To Crittenden. Introduces Troy, an artist; his recent work. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 Jan. 21 **Sargent,** John O[sborne]. New York. To Crittenden. Urges passage of bill in favor of John Ericsson. A. L. S. 2 p.

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1858 Jan. 27 **The Eighth Ward Pioneer Clay Club** of New York. To Crittenden. Invitation to annual ball. A. L. S. by James M. Murray, president. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 Jan. 28 **Armstrong,** William M. Norfolk, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Injustice done him; health of his brother. A. L. S. 3 p.

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John W. Russell for construction and repair of snag boats. L. S. 3 p.

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[1858] Feb. 9 **N[icholas]**, S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Buchanan's dogma of popular sovereignty; effect upon Democratic party. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Feb. 9 **Philomathean Society** of Cumberland University. Lebanon, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Notification of his election as honorary member. A. L. S. by Alexander Allison, corresponding secretary. 1 p.

1858 Feb. 12 **Appleton**, D. and Co. New York. To Crittenden. Desire material for his biography in the "New American Cyclopaedia." L. S. 2 p.

1858 Feb. 12 **Bard**, Henry C. B[aton] Rouge, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Desires advice about the practice of law. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Feb. 20 **Thalian Society** of Oglethorpe University. Talmage, Georgia. To Crittenden. Notification of his election as an honorary member. Printed L. S. by J. L. McBride.

1858 Feb. 22 **Buckner**, S[imon] B[olivar]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His defense of [Brig.] Gen. [Gideon Johnson] Pillow and [Lieut.] Gen. [Winfield] Scott in newspaper articles. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Feb. 23 **Union Literary Society**, of Pleasant Ridge College. To Crittenden. His election as honorary member. A. L. S. by M. J. Moore, secretary. 1 p.

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1858 MAR. 12 **Carneal,** Thomas D. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Personals and gossip. A. L. S. 2 p.

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1858 MAR. 16 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Opposes President Buchanan's attitude toward the Kansas question; sympathy for [Albert T.] Burnley. A. L. S. 3 p.

1858 MAR. 18 **Johnson,** P. B. Syracuse, New York. To Crittenden. Requests copy of recent speech; Crittenden's services to the country. A. L. S. 1 p.

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1858 MAR. 18 **Ewers,** Tallmadge. Buffalo, New York. To Crittenden. Admiration for Crittenden's principles; requests copy of recent speech. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 MAR. 18 **Furlong,** J. Kennedy. New York. To Crittenden. Requests copy of Crittenden's speech on Kansas question. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 MAR. 18 **Hunt,** Washington. New York. To Crittenden. Rejoices on reading Crittenden's speech on the Kansas question; effect on the conservatives; invitation to his house at Lockport. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 147.

1858 Mar. 18 **Curtis,** George T[icknor]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Praise for Crittenden's recent speech; invitation to visit Curtis; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1858 Mar. 18 **Edwards,** Jonathan. Troy, New York. To Crittenden. Congratulations on recent speech; comment on factions of the north; admiration for the sons of Kentucky. A. L. S. 3 p.

1858 Mar. 19 **Bowly,** Daniel. New York. To Crittenden. Transmits resolutions of Council of 15th Ward of New York city, approving of Crittenden's course toward admission of Kansas. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 Mar. 19 **Goodwin,** M. B. Franklin, New Hampshire. To Crittenden. Comments upon Crittenden's speech on the Kansas question. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Mar. 19 **Dana,** Charles. New York. To Crittenden. Compliments Crittenden on his recent speech; list of names to whom he wishes copies of speech mailed. A. L. S. 3 p.

1858 Mar. 19 **Malcom,** Thomas S. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Requests copies of Crittenden's "Anti-Lecompton speech." A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 Mar. 19 **Nicholls,** William S. Georgetown, D. C. To Crittenden. Requests copies of Crittenden's speech on Kansas question. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1858] Mar. 19 **Putnam,** James O. Buffalo, New York. To Crittenden. Gratitude for his speech against the Lecompton constitution; desires a printed copy. A. L. S. 3 p.

1858 Mar. 19 **Myers,** Persifor F. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Desires copy of Crittenden's speech on Kansas question; admires his statesmanship. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 Mar. 19 **Voorhes,** John R. New York. To Crittenden. Desires copy of Crittenden's speech of 17th inst.; is gratified with brief sketch of it. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Mar. 19 **Avery,** William. Buttermilk Falls, New York. To Crittenden. Desires copies of Crittenden's speech to circulate in the neighborhood. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Mar. 19 **Bacon,** James W. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Congratulations upon Crittenden's speech on the admission of Kansas; desires a cadetship for his son at West Point. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Mar. 20 **Murphy**, William D. Albany, New York. To Crittenden. Approves of speech [on the Kansas question]; sends copy of his own speech. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Mar. 20 **Curtis**, E. W. Geddes, New York. To Crittenden. Hopes Congress will follow the course laid down in Crittenden's recent speech. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 Mar. 20 **Williamson**, Brainerd. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Desires copies of Crittenden's speech on Kansas question; praise for the course he has laid down; rejoicing among the old Whigs. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Mar. 20 **Sargent**, John O[sborne]. New York. To Crittenden. Congratulations on speech on Kansas question; desires copies of it. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 147.

1858 Mar. 20 **Patterson**, R[obert?]. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Sends a pamphlet on the Army. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 Mar. 20 **Emerson**, G[ouveneur]. Philadelphia. To Elizabeth Crittenden. Offers congratulations to [John Jordan] Crittenden on his speech on Kansas question; comment on the result. A. L. S. 4 p.

1858 Mar. 21 **Davis**, W. B. Wilmington, [North Carolina?] To Crittenden and 12 others. Discussion of the slavery question in the South; designs of Northern abolitionists; admissions of Daniel Webster and others. A. L. S. 4 p.

1858 Mar. 21 **Davis**, W. B. Wilmington, [North Carolina?] To Crittenden and 4 others. His former advice to various Southern Members of Congress. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 Mar. 21 **Knerr**, Levi P. Reading, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Desires copy of Crittenden's speech on the Lecompton constitution. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 Mar. 21 **Huntington**, E. M. Terre Haute, [Indiana]. To Crittenden. Desires a copy of Crittenden's speech on the Lecompton Constitution; sentiment of the people of Indiana; President Buchanan's course unpopular in Indiana. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Mar. 22 **Harrison**, J[ohn] Scott. North Bend, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Praise for speech [on the Kansas question]; comment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 Mar. 22 **Harlan**, J[ames]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Approves Crittenden's remarks on the Kansas question; prospects of the next state election. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 MAR. 22 **Vanderbilt**, William H[enry]. Staten Island, New York. To Crittenden. Effect of Crittenden's speech [on the Kansas question]; subject explained to the conservatives; requests copy of speech that he may reprint it. A. L. S. 3 p.

1858 MAR. 22 **Johnson**, M[adison] C. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Approves of the course taken by Crittenden toward admission of Kansas; national and state politics; outline for platform for a new party. A. L. S. 3 p.

1858 MAR. 22 **Harrison**, J[ohn] Scott. North Bend, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Appreciates Crittenden's course toward admission of Kansas; confidence of the American party. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 MAR. 22 **Corwine**, R[ichard] M. Cincinnati, Ohio. To Crittenden. Praise for Crittenden's speech on the Lecompton Constitution. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 MAR. 22 **Tyler**, B. O. Trenton, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Requests copy of Crittenden's speech on the Kansas question. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 MAR. 22 **Tyler**, Joseph C. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Approbation of Crittenden's course toward admission of Kansas; desires a copy of his speech. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 MAR. 22 **Jonas**, A[braham]. Quincy, Illinois. To Crittenden. Satisfaction and delight in reading Crittenden's speech on Kansas question; approval of Whigs of Illinois. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 MAR. 22 **Donehoo**, John R. Fairview, Virginia. To Crittenden. Desires to know Crittenden's full name; a friend has named his son after Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 MAR. 23 **Crawford**, C. P. Americus, Georgia. To Crittenden. Desires copy of Crittenden's speech on Kansas question; has always looked to Crittenden as a political teacher. A. L. S. 2 p.

1858 MAR. 23 **Ely**, Adriel. Watertown, New York. To Crittenden. Desires copy of Crittenden's recent speech; political sentiments. A. L. S. 1 p.

1858 MAR. 23 **Hodges**, A[lbert] G[allatin]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Pleasure and satisfaction in reading Crittenden's speech on admission of Kansas; admiration for Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p.

Mexico; social conditions of the Mexicans; cost of provisions; desires leave of absence; wisdom acquired. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 356.

1850 FEB. 10 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Orlando Brown. Intention of C[harles] S[cott] Todd to remove to Minnesota; recommends assistance in securing federal appointment for him. Copy. 3 p.

1850 FEB. 18 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Hopes for an agreement between United States and England relative to Nicaragua; opposes admission of territories under Wilmot Proviso; grieved at complaints against the administration; criticises indifference of [Henry] Clay and [Daniel] Webster. A. L. S. 4 p. CLAYTON.

1850 FEB. 21 **Crittenden**, John Jordan. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Recommends that T[od] Robinson receive a federal appointment in Texas. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1850 FEB. 22 **Barbour**, G[eorge] W. [Frankfort, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Resigns his seat in the Senate of Kentucky to take effect March 4; necessitated by claims of a dependant family. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 MAR. 4–7 **L[etcher]**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. Introduces Walsh, his secretary; various expenses; sends antiquities; intention to save money; delay in receipt of letters. A. L. S. 6 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871, I. 357.

1850 MAR. 10 **Marshall**, H[umphrey]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Discontent of Congress toward President Taylor's cabinet; [John Middleton] Clayton and Thomas Ewing can not remain; neessity of having Crittenden Secretary of State; unsatisfactory course of the administration. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 MAR. 10 **Loughborough**, P[reston] S. Louisville, [Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Gratitude for his appointment as a commissioner to amend the law [relative to civil and criminal proceedings]. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 MAR. 11 **Robinson**, Tod. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Gratitude for letters to Cabinet officers. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Mar. 11 **Blunt**, J. Albany, [New York.] To Crittenden. Necessity of a change in President Taylor's Cabinet; lack of cooperation; total disregard of political leaders in making appointments; influence of newspapers in New York city. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 Mar. 11 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Recommends appointment of Walter S. McNairy as Secretary U. S. Legation at St. Petersburg. A. L. S. 2 p.

CLAYTON.

1850 Mar. 17 **Johnson**, M[adison] C. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Accepts appointment as commissioner to amend the laws of pleading and practice of Kentucky and resigns office as Attorney General of the state. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Mar. 19 **McNairy**, Boyd. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Gratitude to Crittenden; sentiments of [Ephraim H.] Foster; possibility of meeting of the Southern Convention and evil that will grow out of it. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Mar. 23 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky.] To Albert T. Burnley. Wants a letter on the "inside operations" at Washington; [Edward] Watson desires appointment as attaché to U. S. Minister at Paris. Copy. 2 p.

1850 Mar. 25 **Todd**, C[harles] S[cott]. Washington, [D. C.] To [John Middleton] Clayton. Claim for expenses while U. S. Minister to Russia; detailed account of claims; opinions of diplomats; precedence; requests that the claim be not rejected. Copy. 9 p.

1850 Mar. 27 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Orlando Brown. Annoyed by his own blunder relative to application for cadetship by Campbell. Copy. 2 p.

1850 Mar. 29 **Barbour**, G[eorge] W. Princeton, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Would accept appointment as commissioner to amend the Kentucky laws if vacancy should occur; subscriptions to stock of the "Farmers' Bank." A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 Mar. 30 **Morehead**, C[harles] S[laughter]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Possible settlement of the slavery question by Congress; opposition to President

Taylor's cabinet; payment of Galphin claim to [George Washington] Crawford; death of [John Caldwell] Calhoun; attitude of the South toward disunion and possible results; [Henry] Clay's attitude. A. L. S. 8 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 361.

1850 MAR. 30 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Hesitated to write because what he must say would be painful to Crittenden; will soon return to Kentucky and tell all he knows; Edward Watson made attaché to U. S. Minister at Paris. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 MAR. 31 **Metcalfe,** T[homas]. Forrest Retreat, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His feeling toward the attitude of Crittenden in the application of Campbell for cadetship at West Point. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1850] [MAR. ?] **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. [Frankfort, Kentucky]. To George W. Crawford, [Washington, D. C.] Recommends a West Point appointment for the grandson [Campbell] of General [Thomas] Metcalfe. Copy. 1 p.

1850 APR. 2 **Rush,** Richard. Philadelphia. To Reverdy Johnson. Claim for back pay of late John Rush and opinion given by U. S. Attorney General in 1815. Copy. 3 p.

1850 APR. 3 **Hooper,** Henry N., Osmyn **Brewster,** and F. W. **Lincoln,** Jr. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Invitation to the Triennial Exhibition and Fair of Mechanical Industry and Skill. "Copy" by Hooper. 2 p.

1850 APR. 3 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Orlando Brown. Brown should accept mission to Vienna if offered; suggestions about the Federal attorneyship. Copy. 2 p.

1850 APR. 3 **Brown,** Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Encloses copy of Crittenden's letter to George W[ashington] Crawford recommending a cadetship for Campbell; Brown's efforts to secure the appointment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 APR. 4 **Johnson,** Reverdy. Washington, [D. C.] To C[ornelius] Darragh. Will dispose of claim for back pay of late John Rush as soon as convenient. Copy. 1 p.

1850 Apr. 5 **Wickliffe,** C[harles] A[nderson]. Weekland, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Appointment as commissioner to amend law of practice in Kentucky. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Apr. 5 **Wright,** Joseph A. Indianapolis, Indiana. To Crittenden. Invitation to attend a Union meeting of all parties at Indianapolis May 29. A. L. S. 1 p. Endorsed: "Answered accepting invitation. J. J. C."

1850 Apr. 6 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Urges that [Robert Perkins] Letcher be granted leave of absence; Administration seems to have no supporters in Congress; basis of a settlement of the slavery question; favors the President's plan, but circumstances may have changed. A. L. S. 3 p.

CLAYTON.

1850 Apr. 13 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Orlando Brown. Circumstances of failure of Campbell to secure a cadetship at West Point; California notions of George [Bibb Crittenden]; rumors of dissension in the Cabinet; the Galphin claim; confidence in [George Washington] Crawford; feels that President Taylor will be a safe pilot through the political storm. Copy. 4 p.

1850 Apr. 14 **Wing,** F[reeman]. La Mine, Missouri. To Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Real estate matters; internal improvements. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Apr. 19 **Brown,** Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Causes of failure of Campbell to receive cadetship to West Point; lack of executive ability in President Taylor's Cabinet; envy shown by [Henry] Clay and [Daniel] Webster; no one to espouse Taylor's cause in Congress or in newspapers; Taylor's intention to establish a paper; will be no change in the Cabinet; confidence in [George Washington] Crawford as to the Galphin claim; Brown's intention to resign. A. L. S. 12 p.

1850 Apr. 23 **Toombs,** Robert. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Act of the Administration to give Northern patronage to [William Henry] Seward and his party; ill effect of Seward's antislavery position upon the Whig party; policy of the Administration;

opinion of certain members of the Cabinet; the Galphin claim. A. L. S. 6 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 364.

1850 May 2 **Hawes,** R[ichard]. Paris, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Sentiments against a change in President Taylor's Cabinet; advises Crittenden not to visit Washington; influence of [Henry] Clay on administration; appointment of Hawes as visitor to West Point. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 May 5 **Wing,** F[reeman]. La Mine, Missouri. To Mrs. Elizabeth Ashley, Louisville, Kentucky. Financial and real estate matters. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 May 6 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. No discrepancy between his speech and private letters; asks that Mrs. Crittenden have her carriage refitted and sent to Letcher for speculation; personals. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 370.

1850 May 8 **Burnley,** A[lbert] T. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Failure to secure harmony between the Administration and the "Republic;" his interview with President Taylor and Cabinet officers; their intention to establish a newspaper; Burnley to buy out the "Republic" and defend the President. A. L. S. 7 p.

1850 May 9 **Brown,** Orlando. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Movements of Robert [Henry Crittenden]; negotiations of [Albert T.] Burnley to obtain control of the "Republic;" Brown's intention to resign as Commissioner of Indian Affairs; troubled air of President Taylor; Brown's possible successor; debate on [Henry] Clay's bill in the Senate. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 May 14 **Bright,** Jesse D. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Invitation to call on his family at Madison, Indiana, while en route to Indianapolis. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 May 15 **Brown,** Orlando. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Purchase of the "Republic" by [Albert T.] Burnley; debate on [Henry] Clay's report and bill; the questionable result; Brown's possible successor; endeavors to secure an appointment in California for Robert [Henry Crittenden]; social matters. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 May 15 **Burnley**, Albert T. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Control of the "Republic" gained by Burnley, and Allen A. Hall to be the editor; terms of the agreement; hopes for Crittenden's approval; fate of Compromise Bill doubtful; the Cabinet. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 May 18 **Brown**, Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Personals; Crittenden's enemies in Washington; [John Middleton] Clayton's treatment of [Alexander C.] Bullitt; [Thomas] Ritchie "in agony" about the new Southern paper; doubt and speculation about national affairs. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 May 22 **Hooper**, Henry N. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Inclosing copy of invitation to deliver an address at the Triennial Exhibition and Fair of Mechanical Industry and Skill. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1850] May 23 **Brown**, Orlando. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Resignation of office of Commissioner of Indian Affairs; [Henry] Clay retains his reputation, and has defied friends of President Taylor; Clay's plan versus that of Taylor for a compromise; Crittenden's speech to be made at Indianapolis. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 May 25 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Albert T. Burnley. Pleased at Burnley's control of The "Republic"; advice to secure peace and harmony; sympathy for Robert [Henry Crittenden] who is unable to secure an appointment in California; urges that Burnley become acquainted with [Richard] Hawes. Copy. 3 p.

1850 June 1 **Catron**, J[ohn]. Washington, [D. C.] To J. Thomas. Compromise Bill will pass the Senate, and eventually the House; Thomas should go to Washington and make acquaintances; bill for appointment of a judge in California; knowledge of Spanish laws necessary; possibility of Thomas receiving the appointment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 June 4 **Corwin**, Thomas. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Cause of delay of Crittenden's son's confirmation by the Senate; the Compromise bill impracticable remedy for agitation; President Taylor's plan the only permanent cure. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 JUNE 5 **Burnley**, A[lbert] T. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Leaves for Louisville to take his family to Washington; has urged upon [John Middleton] Clayton that [George W.] Barbour should be appointed Judge of California; suggests that Robert [Henry Crittenden] be made clerk of the court. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 JUNE 6 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. His nomination as Minister to Mexico never acted upon by the Senate; unconcerned personally as to the result; has agreed upon terms for a treaty for a railroad across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec; cholera raging in Mexico; comments on affairs at Washington; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 JUNE 7 **Metcalfe**, Thomas. Indianapolis, Indiana. To Crittenden. His courteous reception at Indianapolis; witnesses a trial for recovery of fugitive slaves; comments; time of his departure. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 JUNE 22 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To John Middleton Clayton. Name and residence of George W. Barbour; urges that Barbour be given the Judgeship in California or an equivalent; praises Clayton's attitude in the "Cuba affair." A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1850 JUNE 29 **Winthrop**, Robert C[harles]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Invitation to speak at a fair held by the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic Association; promise of President Taylor's presence; desires a speech "on the labor of the country." A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 JULY 1 **Simmons**, J. P. Weldon, North Carolina. To Crittenden. Offers to put Crittenden's name at the head of the columns of the "Herald" as candidate for President. A. L. S. 1 p. Endorsed: "Ansrd in substance that I was no candidate & did not wish to be. J. J. C."

1850 JULY 5 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To [Albert T.] Burnley. Attitude Burnley must have toward President Taylor's Administration; personals; requests Burnley's continued correspondence. Copy. 3 p.

1850 JULY 12 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Joseph Taylor. Requests that remains of General [Zachary] Taylor be buried at Frankfort;

sends resolutions of town council requesting same. A. L. S. 2 p. TAYLOR.

1850 July 17 **Cross**, Alexander. Valparaiso, [Chili.] To James Collier. Relative to contract for building an Iron Warehouse for U. S. Customs Service. L. S. 5 p.

1850 July 24 **Bibb**, John B. Russellville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Crittenden's appointment as Attorney General in President Fillmore's Cabinet. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 July 25 **Smith**, J[ohn] Speed. Castle Union, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Sympathy upon the death of Chapman Coleman, Zachary Taylor, and others; Crittenden should accept office of Attorney General offered him; invites Crittenden's family to his house if the cholera appears in Frankfort. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 July 26 **Hawes**, R[ichard]. Paris, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Urges Crittenden to accept office of U. S. Attorney General; slavery question grown to great consequence; Texas boundary with Mexico difficulty. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 July 30 **Todd**, C[harles] S[cott]. St. Paul, Minnesota. To Crittenden. Sentiments on the death of Zachary Taylor; local politics; political influence of the Fur Co.; appointment of Agents to treat with the Sioux Indians for their lands. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Aug. 5 **Harris & Harrison.** Columbus, Mississippi. To Robert J[ohn] Walker. Desire of Otley to retain Walker as counsel; statement of the case; asks advice. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1850] Aug. 5 **Humphreys** et al. Suit against Miller & Co. Memorandum of authorities. 6 p.

1850 Aug. 5 **Ward**, R. J. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Recommends Calhoun Benham for U. S. District Attorney of California. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Aug. 8 **Clayton**, John M[iddleton]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Appointment of Crittenden as Attorney General will prevent contemplated schism; Clayton's labors as Secretary of State; intention to retire to private life. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Aug. 13 **Pindell**, R[ichard]. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Hopes for revival of friendship between [Henry] Clay and Crittenden; requests appointment of George Ross Harrison as a midshipman in the Navy. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Aug. 18 **Queen,** R[ichard] T. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Politics; desires an appointment for himself or for his son R. Plunkett Queen. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Aug. 23 **Clayton,** John Middleton. New Castle, Delaware. To Edward Stanley. Application papers of T. D. Smyth for consulship in Lower California; attitude of the new Administration toward appointments of late President Taylor. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Sept. 7 **Helm,** John L. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Significance in the fate of Texas boundary bill; confidence in Crittenden; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Sept. 8 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Gratification that Crittenden is in President Fillmore's cabinet; denounces recent criticisms of the Mexican Secretary of Foreign Affairs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Sept. 15 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Disappointed at being detained in Mexico; has instructions to amend the treaty for railroad across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec; Mexican view of the Treaty; claim of Annie Wright; personals; recent newspaper criticisms; respects to Cabinet officers. A. L. S. 8 p.

1850 Sept. 15 **Swigert,** P[hilip]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Solicits aid for securing contracts for engraving U. S. Bonds. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Sept. 25 **Peyton,** Balie. Santiago, Chili. To Crittenden. Grieved at the death of Zachary Taylor; confidence in President Fillmore and his Cabinet; Peyton shamefully treated; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1850 Sept. 26 **Love,** James. Galveston, [Texas]. To Crittenden. Gratified that Crittenden is in President Fillmore's cabinet; policy of the Administration; the Texas question; military protection necessary in Texas. A. L. S. 3 p.

1850 Sept. 29 **Gaines,** John P. Oregon City, Oregon. To Crittenden. Urges appointment of Jesse Applegate as Surveyor General of Oregon; recommends other appointments; rights of Hudson's Bay and Puget Sound agricultural companies should be purchased; family affairs; personals; approval of the new Cabinet. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1850] [Sept.?] **Ewing,** T[homas]. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Remarks on fugitive slave law. Endorsed by S[amuel] F[inley] Vinton. A. L. S. Last page only.

1850 Oct. 1 **Rush,** Benjamin. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Encloses papers relative to claim for back pay due the late John Rush, U. S. Navy. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 Oct. 4 **Sedgwick,** Theodore. New York. To Daniel Webster. Trial and sentence of Cristobal Madan by a Spanish Military Commission in Cuba; his innocence and property rights; appeal to Webster. Copy. 4 p.

[1850] [Oct. 4?] **Madan,** Cristobal. Conviction and sentence of Madan and others for treason in Cuba. Copy. 4 p.

[1850] [Oct. 4?] **Spain,** Laws, Extracts. Copy. 2 p.

1850 Oct. 20 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. Introduces Marks; result of attempt to make amendments to the proposed treaty with Mexico; feels that [Daniel] Webster is not satisfied with the negotiations; difficulties experienced in negotiating the treaty. A.L.S. 4p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871, I, 383.

1850 Nov. 12 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. Final disposition of the proposed treaty with Mexico; opposition to amendments urged by [Daniel] Webster; general comment; Personals. Copy. 2 p.

1850 Nov. 13 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico.] To Crittenden. Comment on treaty with Mexico; his labors in the matter; belief that [Daniel] Webster censured him. A. L. S. 4 p. Mutilated. Also copy.

1850 Nov. 15 **Poindexter,** George. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His suit in chancery in U. S. Circuit Court; statement of the case. L. S. 6 p.

1850 Nov. 18 **Grinnell,** M[oses] H[icks]. New York. To Crittenden. Gratified that Crittenden is again at the seat of government; result of the election in New York; politics. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 Nov. 23 **Breckinridge,** Robert J[efferson]. Lexington, [Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Asks assistance for his son Robert J., for a Cadet's Warrant at West Point;

canvass for the nominations for gubernatorial election; political comment. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 384.

1850 Dec. 7 **Queen,** R[ichard] T. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires to be recommended to Thomas Corwin for an appointment. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Dec. 8 **Rush,** Richard. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Gratitude for letter criticizing his views on slavery. Copy. 1 p.

1850 Dec. 12 **Allison,** Richard T. U. S. Store Ship *Supply* off San Francisco, California. To Crittenden. Opposing the formation of a Navy Board. A. L. S. 4 p.

1850 Dec. 14 **Chester,** Thomas R. Jonesborough, Tennessee. To the Editors of the Nashville American. Ineffectual attempt to capture fugitive slave on account of Northern opposition to slavery. Newspaper clipping.

1850 Dec. 26 **Barlow,** W. B. To Crittenden. Introducing John Rudd, of U. S. Navy. A. L. S. 1 p.

1850 Dec. **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Decision in cases of the U. S. *vs.* Turner's Heirs and Coxe et al. Printed. 2 p.

1851 Jan. 3 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Introduces [Thomas] Mejia, who has a draft for portion of indemnity due Mexico; Letcher intends to expose infamous undertaking in Mexico against the U. S. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Jan. 6 [**Crittenden,** John Jordan.] [Washington, D. C.] To President Millard Fillmore. Opinion opposing the right of U. S. marshals to employ counsel at public expense under the fugitive-slave law. Copy. 7 p.

1851 Jan. 12 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Mexico, [D. F., Mexico]. To Crittenden. Result of the Tehuantepec Treaty; Mexican opposition; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Jan. 28 **Smith,** J[ohn] Speed. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Kentucky legislative matters; sinking fund; canvass for congressional nominations; political gossip. A. L. S. 5 p.

1851 Jan. 30 **Whelpley,** James D[avenport]. New York. To Crittenden. British policy toward public sentiment in American press; urges movement against British aggressions. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 JAN. 31 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Buena Vista, Delaware. To Crittenden. Desires appointment as commissioner, if French spoliation bill should pass; Delaware politics. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 JAN. 31 **Whelpley,** James D[avenport]. New York. To Crittenden. Incloses documents relating to subject matter of recent letter to Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 FEB. 9 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To John Middleton Clayton. Will attend to Clayton's wishes if French spoliation bill passes Congress; glad to have him in Washington; [Robert Perkins] Letcher's return from Mexico; invites Clayton to meet Letcher. A. L. S. 2 p. CLAYTON.

1851 FEB. 21 **Lord,** Daniel. New York. To Crittenden. Personals; comment on election of next U. S. Senator from New York. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 MAR. 3 **Post Office Department.** Extracts from the Act making appropriations for. 2 p.

1851 MAR. 12 **Bates,** George C. Detroit, [Michigan]. To Daniel Webster. Asks for instructions as to testimony in fugitive-slave case. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 MAR. 12 **Bates,** George C. Detroit, Michigan. To Daniel Webster. Desires instructions relative to false telegraphic dispatches. Copy.

1851 MAR. 15 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Forest Retreat, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Irregularity in granting bounty claims at Washington; has not heard from one claim, and has sent in over seventy. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1851] MAR. 19 **Tayloe,** Julia M. Dickinson. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Invitation to meet [Henry] Clay at dinner. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 MAR. 25 **Ewing,** Thomas. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Crittenden's opinion in the Florida cases. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 MAR. 28 **Smith,** J[ohn] Speed. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Contract for making mailbags; personals. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 MAR. 30 **Hunton,** Logan. New Orleans, La. To Crittenden. Legal business. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 APR. 7 **Trabue,** Charles C. Nashville, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Enquires if certain persons served in company of R[obert] F. Crittenden under Andrew

Jackson in campaign against Seminole Indians [in Florida]. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 Apr. 12 **Breckinridge**, Robert J[efferson]. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Admits error in requesting appointment for son as cadet to West Point; asks forgiveness. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 385.

1851 Apr. 16 **Smith**, D. Howard. Georgetown, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Sketch of services of Gustavus W. Smith in U. S. Army; injustice done Smith in rank and promotions. A. L. S. 6 p. Mutilated.

1851 Apr. 16 **[Waller**, A. B.] [Washington, D. C.] To [Crittenden]. Copy of section of the Post Office appropriation act and requests explanations. A. L. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 18 **Waller**, A. B. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Relative to Attorney General's opinion on increase of salaries of special agents for Post Office Department. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 19 **Clayton**, P[hilip]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Gives information concerning military service of certain persons during Andrew Jackson's campaign in Florida [against Seminole Indians]. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 21 **Thomas**, L[orenzo]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Statement of service of Robert [F.] Crittenden as ensign in 2d Rifle Regiment. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 Apr. 21 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Robert Jefferson Breckinridge. Explains his situation toward request of Breckinridge for appointment of his son as cadet to West Point. A. D'ft. 5 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 385.

1851 Apr. 23 **Russell**, William H. St. Louis, Missouri. To Crittenden. Leaves for Pacific coast; expects to be assailed by Rutter; desires complete investigation. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 25 **Toombs**, Robert. Washington, Georgia. To Crittenden. Opposition to a paper published at Athens, Georgia; its opposition to President Fillmore's administration; contract for publishing U. S. laws; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 28 **Grainger**, William H. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Appreciates Crittenden's kindness; does

not desire to annoy anyone by asking favors. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 Apr. 30 **Fillmore**, Millard. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Mormon settlement on Big Bear Island in Lake Michigan. Copy.

1851 May 3 **Breckenridge**, Robert J[efferson]. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Explains his position in asking an appointment for his son as cadet to West Point. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 387.

1851 May 6 **Finnell**, John W. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Asks if Crittenden will be a candidate for U. S. Senate; political situation in Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 May 8 **Webster**, Daniel. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Receipt of hams cured under Mrs. [Ann Mary] Coleman's direction. Copy. 1 p.

1851 May 21 **New York** and Erie Railroad. New York. To Crittenden. Resolution of Board of Directors that a free ticket be issued to President of United States and members of his cabinet. D. S. 1 p. 18 signatures.

1851 May 22 **Thompson**, W. Wilmington, North Carolina. To Crittenden. Money of Indians of North Carolina and Western Cherokees. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 May 29 **Monroe**, James. New York. To Winfield Scott. Application for a political appointment; gratitude to [John Jordan] Crittenden; indorsed to Crittenden with approval, and signed "W. S." A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 May 30 **Kendall**, Amos. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Rumor of an expedition of 6,000 men to leave New Orleans in June for Cuba. Copy. 1 p.

1851. May 31 **Marshall**, H[umphrey]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. His candidacy for reelection to Congress; opposition; pecuniary affairs. A. L. S. 1 p.

1851 June 16 **Marshall**, H[umphrey]. Newcastle, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires an appointment from President Fillmore; knowledge of Spanish language; confident of a majority in next congressional election; dislikes to withdraw from contest until sure of an appointment; Fillmore as a Presidential candidate. A. L. S. 4 p.

1851 JUNE 16 **Monroe**, James. New York. To Crittenden. Appointment of naval officer at New York. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 JUNE 25 **Winthrop**, Robert C[harles]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Degree of LL.D. to be conferred upon Crittenden by Harvard University; invitation to commencement exercises. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 SEPT. 2 **McCarty**, H. Milburn. Paducah, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires an appointment of minor importance. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 SEPT. 6 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Norfolk, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Departs for Mexico; failure to have an interview with President Fillmore; endeavors to fulfill his mission; employment for Robert [Henry] Crittenden; personals. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 355.

1851 SEPT. 6 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Joseph Rogers Underwood. Has consented to become a candidate for U. S. Senate; does not desire to be a personal opponent of Underwood; would consider it a public rather than a personal controversy. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 140.

1851 SEPT. 8–11 [**Crittenden**, Maria K.] Funeral expenses of. Receipts. 6 A. D's. S.

1851 SEPT. 11 **Jenifer**, D[aniel]. Port Tobacco, Maryland. To Crittenden. Extends his heartfelt sympathy and condolence [on death of Maria K. Crittenden]. A. L. S. 2 p.

1851 SEPT. 15 **Whittlesey**, Elisha. Washington, D. C. To Alexander H[ugh] H[olmes] Stuart. Exhaustive opinion on legality of claim of Logan Hunton for fees in prosecuting Narcisso Lopez and others for their invasion of Cuba. A. L. S. 12 p.

1851 SEPT. 16 **May**, William. U. S. S. F. *Saranac*, off Havana, Cuba. To Frederick May. Summary of account of expedition of [Narcisso] Lopez against Cuba; death of the party among whom was [William L.] Crittenden. Extract by J. J. Crittenden. 3 p.

1851 SEPT. 18 **Brown**, Orlando. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Canvass for U. S. Senatorial election; probable opposition to Crittenden; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Sept. 22 **Temple,** J. B. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Extracts from correspondence with [Joseph Rogers] Underwood; his attitude and feelings toward Crittenden relative to contest for U. S. Senatorial election; general comment. A. L. S. 3 p. Mutilated.

1851 Sept. 28 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Orlando Brown. Opposition of Thomas Stephenson to Crittenden's election to U. S. Senate; personals. Copy. 2 p.

1851 Oct. 4 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, D. C. To John Middleton Clayton. Personals; does not desire appointment as Secretary of State; the Commission on French spoliations. A. L. S. 1 p. CLAYTON

1851 Oct. 8 **Clayton,** John M[iddleton]. Buena Vista, Delaware. To Crittenden. Urges appointment of Charles I. DuPont as Purser in U. S. Navy; brief account of the DuPont family; their politics. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 10.

1851 Oct. 14 **[Crittenden,** John Jordan]. [Washington, D. C.] To Calderon de Barca. Recent mob violence at Key West, Florida, upon Spanish subjects; their mode of procedure against the United States; certain claim of United States subjects against Spain for capture of their barque by privateers. Draft. 4 p.

1851 Oct. 19 **Morehead,** C[harles] S[laughter]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Canvass for U. S. Senatorial election in Kentucky; Crittenden's opponents; legal business. A. L. S. 3 p.

1851 Oct. 20 **Clay,** H[enry]. Ashland, [Kentucky]. To Benjamin Coates. Not "at liberty to sign address to legislature of Liberia"; desirous that independence of Liberia be recognized. Copy. 1 p.

1851 Oct. 22 **Metcalfe,** Thomas. Carlisle, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Efforts to sell the Blue Lick property to the U. S. Government for use as asylum for old soldiers; financial status of owners of the property; failure of John B. Campbell to pass medical examination [for entrance to West Point]. A. L.S. 3 p.

1859 Feb. 9 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Elizabeth Crittenden. Social matters; locals. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 175.

1859 Feb. 10 **Mercer,** C. F. Tallahassee, Florida. To Crittenden. Transmits pamphlet on slavery. A. L. S. 4 p.

1859 Feb. 14 **Porter,** A[ugustus] S. Niagara, New York. To Crittenden. Scheme of Major J[ohn] G[ross] Barnard to fortify New York City; requests a personal interest in the plans. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Feb. 15 **Hastings,** S. C. San Francisco, [California]. To Crittenden. Transfer of California land title. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Feb. 16 **Ruggles,** Samuel B. New York. To Crittenden. Accession of Cuba; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1859 Feb. 17 **Bridge,** H[oratio]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Deficiency in accounts of [Alexander J.] Mitchell with Navy Department. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Feb. 19 **Thornton, Williams & Thornton.** San Francisco, [California]. To Crittenden. Payment of fees. L. S. 1 p. Also duplicate check. 1 p.

1859 Feb. 21 **Fuller,** Thomas J. D. [Washington, D. C.] To Eugene Wilkinson Crittenden. Balance due Treasury Department. Copy. 1 p.

1859 Feb. 28 **L[etcher],** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Detail of state convention; personnel of the Central Committee; assassination of [Philip Barton Key] by [Daniel Edgar] Sickles. A. L. S. 4 p.

1859 Mar. 10 **Goodhue** & Co. New York. To Crittenden, Reverdy Johnson, John A[rnold] Rockwell and J[udah] P[hilip] Benjamin. Fees offered by persons interested in the New Almaden Mine, California. L. S. 3 p.

1859 Mar. 18 **Cooper,** S[amuel]. Washington, [D. C.] To E[ugene] W[ilkinson] Crittenden. Balance due United States. Copy. 1 p.

1859 Mar. 22 **Hammond,** J[ames] H[enry]. Beech Island, South Carolina. To Crittenden. Requests a barrel of Bourbon Whiskey. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Mar. 28 **Bache,** A[lexander] D[allas]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Employment of Crittenden's grandson in the coast survey. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Apr. 3 **Rush,** Richard. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Praise for Crittenden's speech on the acquisition of Cuba; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1859 Apr. 4 [**Crittenden,** Eugene Wilkinson.] Fort Arbuckle, Indian Territory. To S[amuel] Cooper. Loss of accounts; opinion that the accounts were closed. Copy. 2 p.

1859 Apr. 4 [**Crittenden,** Eugene Wilkinson.] Fort Arbuckle, Indian Territory. To [Robert J. Atkinson]. Alleged indebtedness; loss of papers; desires detailed statement. Copy. 1 p.

1859 Apr. 5 **Anderson,** Larz. Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Desires letters of introduction to people in Europe; recent defeat for Democracy in the state. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Apr. 6 **Crittenden,** E[ugene] W[ilkinson]. Fort Arbuckle, [Indian Territory]. To Crittenden. Alleged shortage in his accounts for expenditures in the Army; family affairs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1859 Apr. 9 **Randolph,** Joseph F[itz]. Trenton, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Desires letters of introduction to persons in Europe; New Jersey politics. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Apr. 13 **McKinley,** Andrew. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Real estate business; family matters. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 Apr. 26 **Atkinson,** Robert J. [Washington, D. C.] To E[ugene] W[ilkinson] Crittenden. Account due U. S. Copy. 1 p.

1859 May 3 **McKinley,** Andrew. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Real estate business; personals. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 May 11 **Letcher,** R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Gubernatorial campaign in Kentucky; efforts of [Joshua F.] Bell to defeat [Beriah] Magoffin; Congressional election; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1859 May 15 **Hammond,** J[ames] H[enry]. [Beech Island, North Carolina]. To Crittenden. Receipt of whiskey; adulterated liquors; growth of his own vineyard. A. L. S. 3 p.

1859 May 16 **Reagan,** John H. Grimes Co., Texas. To Crittenden. Receipt of Crittenden's letter approving of Reagan's campaign circular. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 May 17 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Remarks on Thomas Corwin; sympathizes with President Buchanan; opinion of him; local matters. A. L. S. 5 p.

1859 May 18 **Gaines**, A. W. Receipt to Lieut. E[ugene] W[ilkinson] Crittenden. Copy. 1 p.

1859 May 19 **Hale**, P. H. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Apology for error in newspaper article connecting Crittenden with the Presidency. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 May 25 **Goodhue, & Co.** New York. To Crittenden. Law fee at Crittenden's disposal. L. S. 2 p. Also duplicate. 1 p.

1859 May 25 **Crittenden**, E[ugene] W[ilkinson]. Fort Arbuckle, Indian Territory. To Crittenden. Confident that he can balance his accounts; explanation; health of his family. A. L. S. 4 p.

1859 May 26 **Crittenden**, E[ugene] W[ilkinson]. Fort Arbuckle, Indian Territory. To Samuel Cooper. Revised statement of balance due U. S. L. S. 2 p. [Duplicate.]

1859 June 3 **Crittenden**, A[lexander] P. San Francisco, California. To Crittenden. Payment of fees for cases before the U. S. Supreme Court; California real estate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1859 June 4 **McKinley**, Andrew. St. Louis, Missouri. To Crittenden. Real estate business; personals. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 June 7 **Kennedy**, A. Baltimore, Maryland. To S[amuel] S[mith] Nicholas. Opposition movement in the border states; plan of fall campaign in Maryland; strength of the parties. A. L. S. 3 p.

1859 June 7 **Harvey**, John. Howard County, Missouri. To Crittenden. Real estate; disposal of finances. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 June 10 **Townsend**, E[dward] D[avis]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Balance due U. S. from E[ugene] W[ilkinson] Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 June 12 **H[ewes]**, John M. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Campaign through the counties; prospects of election; asks aid of Crittenden. A. L. S. 4 p.

1859 June 27 **Zollicoffer**, F[elix] K[irk]. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Prospects for elections in Tennessee and Kentucky. A. L. S. 3 p.

1859 July 1 **Pilgrim Society.** Plymouth, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Invitation to laying of corner stone of Monument to Forefathers. L. S. by 6 names as a committee.

1859 July 1 **Whittlesey,** Elisha. Canfield, Ohio. To Crittenden. Invitation of Battle of Lake Erie Monument Association to deliver address at laying of corner stone. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 July 6 **Allen,** J[ohn] W. Cleveland, Ohio. To Crittenden. Invitation of Perry Monument Association to attend laying of corner stone. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 July 6 **Battle of Lake Erie Monument Association.** Sandusky, Ohio. To Crittenden. Invitation to assist in laying the corner stone on Sept. 10. L. S. by 5 names in one handwriting as a committee. 2 p.

1859 July 9 **Rumsey,** Edward. Greenville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Prospects of coming election in Kentucky. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 July 14 **Underwood,** J[oseph] R[ogers]. Munfordsville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. The coming Kentucky election; declines to take the "stump"; the presidency. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 July 21 **Ripley,** C[harles]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Coming election in Kentucky; reports favor election of [Joshua F.] Bell for Governor. A. L. S. 4 p.

1859 July 23 **Goodhue, & Co.** New York. To Crittenden. Payment of draft; business matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

1859 July 24 **Siebert,** August, and six others. Frankfort on the Main, Germany. To Crittenden. European holders of Mason County, Ky., bonds; hope that bondholders be preserved from total loss. L. S. 3 p. Also Memorial to the President of the County Court of Mason [County], Kentucky. 2 p.

1859 Aug. 1 **Cosmopolitan Art Association.** New York. To Crittenden. Certificate of honorary membership. A. L. S. by C. L. Derby, actuary. 1 p.

1859 Sept. 18 **Crittenden,** A[lexander] P. San Francisco, [California]. To Crittenden. Inability to collect fees; the Sutter case; duel between [David Colbreth] Broderick and [David S.] Terry; political effect of Broderick's death upon California. A. L. S. 8 p.

1859 Sept. 21 **Opposition Party.** Monticello, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Invitation to attend a barbecue. L. S. by four names in one handwriting as a committee. 2 p.

1859 Sept. 30 **Low Brothers & Co.** Marysville, California. To Crittenden. Claim to lands through the Sutter claim; employment as counsel. A. L. S. 3 p.

1859 Oct. 4 **Crittenden,** A[lexander] P. San Francisco, California. To Crittenden. Payment of fee in case of Boyreau *vs.* Campbell. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 Nov. 2 **McKinley,** Andrew. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Progress in construction of buildings; family matters. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 Nov. 9 **McKinley,** Andrew. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Transmission of checks. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 Nov. 27 **St. Nicholas Society.** New York. To Crittenden. Invitation to Anniversary dinner on Dec. 6. L. S. by the Stewards. 1 p.

1859 Nov. 30 **Simmons,** James F[owler]. Providence, [Rhode Island]. To Crittenden. Conversation with [Henry] Clay relative to relations between Clay and Crittenden. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 178.

1859 Dec. 4 **Crittenden,** A[lexander] P. San Francisco, California. To Crittenden. Desires services as counsel in certain land claims before U. S. Supreme Court; statement of the case and testimony. A. L. S. 13 p.

1859 Dec. 9 **Sargent,** John O[sborne]. New York. To Crittenden. Employment as counsel; political death of [William Henry] Seward. A. L. S. 1 p.

1859 Dec. 9 **Johnson,** Edward M. Addison, New York. To Crittenden. Has indorsed Crittenden for the Presidency in his paper. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Dec. 14 **Emmons,** William. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Thanksgivings; will forward a communication. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Dec. 17 **Appleton,** Nathan. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Distracted state of the country; public sentiment in New England; danger of an overt act in the excitement. A. L. S. 3 p.

1859 Dec. 22 **Ashlanders Association.** New York. To Crittenden. Invitation to celebration on Jan. 16. L. S. by 3 signatures. 1 p.

1859 Dec. 22 **Pechin,** Edmund C. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Plans of the National Union Committee to organize a Union platform. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Dec. 27 **Edwards,** Charles. New York. To Crittenden. Thomas Kaine a fugitive [from Great Britain]. A. L. S. 2 p.

1859 Dec. 27 **Delaware Antiquarians.** Wilmington, Delaware. To Crittenden. Notification of election as honorary member. Printed form filled in and signed by Gideon T. Todd, Corres. Secy. 1 p.

1859 Dec. 28 **Flournoy,** John J. Athens, Georgia. To Crittenden. Lack of organization in the House of Representatives; suggests a way to defeat the Black Republicans; necessity of a compromise. A. L. S. 5 p.

1860 Jan. 1 **Dall,** Austin. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Measures adopted by Governor of Maryland; conduct of conservative citizens. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 Jan. 1 **Powell,** C. Greenville Courthouse, South Carolina. To Crittenden. Organization of a Washington Union Party. A. L. S. 1 p., mutilated.

1860 Jan. 3 **Chandler,** Sarah M. To Crittenden. Arguments for slavery with references to the Bible. A. L. S. 6 p.

1860 Jan. 4 **Gould,** Jay. New York. To Crittenden. Great majority in Pennsylvania favor Crittenden's compromise. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 Jan. 5 **Hicks,** Thomas H[olliday]. Annapolis, Maryland. To Crittenden. State of the Union; attitude of the border states; Crittenden's efforts. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 Jan. 5 **Kennedy,** Robert S. Stewartville, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Compromise methods; taking slaves into free states. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 Jan. 5 **Scott,** Winfield. New York. To Henry Wilson. Declines to be connected with political parties; reasons. A. L. S. Copy. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 185.

1860 Jan. 6 **Lawrence,** Amos A[dams]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Prefers Crittenden for President; politics in Massachusetts. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 183.

1860 JAN. 6 **Scott,** Winfield. New York. To Crittenden. The Presidency; reasons for not visiting seat of government. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 182.

1860 JAN. 7 **Fisher,** George P. Dover, [Delaware]. To Crittenden. Organization of national conservative party; comment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 JAN. 9 **Rives,** W[illiam] C[abell]. Castle Hill, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Anxiety in Virginia; Crittenden's compromise; organization of new party. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1860?] JAN. 10 **N**[icholas], S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville? Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Criticism of compromise measures; other propositions. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 JAN. 10 **Gardner,** J. H., A. A. **Curtis,** and Ansel **Daniel.** Irvine, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Confidence in Crittenden and conservatism of Kentucky. L. S. 2 p.

1860 JAN. 10 **Myers,** T[heodore] Bailey. New York. To Crittenden. Postponement of political meeting; diversity of opinion throughout the country. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 JAN. 10 **Lunt,** George. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Efforts for a Union organization; Massachusetts politics. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 JAN. 12 **Inglis,** C[harles]. Paterson, New Jersey. To Crittenden. National politics; organization of a conservative party. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 JAN. 13 **Onderdonk,** J. A. Hamilton, New York. To Crittenden. Desires Crittenden's speeches. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 JAN. 16 **Dewees,** Jacob. Pottsville, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Necessity of a Union meeting. A. L. S. 5 p.

1860 JAN. 16 **Newport,** David. Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Urges compromise measures. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 JAN. 17 **Ketcham,** Hiram. New York. To Crittenden. Crittenden's recent speech at Philadelphia; evil results from failure of House of Representatives to organize. A. L. S. 3 p. Mutilated.

1860 JAN. 19 **Elder,** William. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Notices of John C. Hamilton's History of the Republic; races adapted to the climates; drawing a slavery line. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 JAN. 20 **Kentucky University**, Faculty. Harrodsburg, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desire to purchase government property for a university site; ask aid. L. S. 8 signatures. 6 p.

1860 JAN. 22 **Stuart**, Alexander H[ugh] H[olmes]. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Haste necessary in establishment of the Union Party. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 JAN. 24 **Iverson**, Alfred. Resolutions offered to U. S. Senate regulating pay of retired naval officers who have been restored to active service, with arguments for same. Copy. 2 p.

1860 JAN. 24 **Scroggs**, G[ustavus] A. Buffalo, [New York]. To Crittenden. Organization of the Union Party; platform and nominations; comment. A. L. S. 6 p. Mutilated.

1860 JAN. 26 **Lawrence**, Amos A[dams]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Little credence to be given George Lunt; progress of the Union party in Massachusetts. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 JAN. 27 **Aspinwall**, William. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Offers services; political career; ancestry. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 JAN. 27 **Brookings**, W. W. Sioux Falls, Dakota Territory. To Crittenden. Urges organization and admission of Dakota; lack of law and order. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1860] JAN. 28 **N[icholas] S[amuel] S[mith]**. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Evils from disorganization in House of Representatives; plan for overthrow of Democracy. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 JAN. 29 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To S[amuel] S[mith] Nicholas. Criticises Nicholas plan for Presidential election; attempt to form a constitutional Union Party; condition of the Democratic and Republican parties in Congress. Copy. 1 p.

1860 JAN. 30 **Randolph**, Joseph F[itz]. Trenton, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Advisability of nominating a Union presidential ticket; New Jersey politics; the national committee. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 JAN. 31 **Italian National Committee**. New York. To Crittenden. Invitation to meeting to express their sympathy for brethren in Italy. L. S. 2 signatures. 1 p.

1860 JAN. 31 **Kennedy**, John P[endleton]. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Arrangements to attend the national committee at Washington. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 JAN. 31 **Carneal**, Thomas D[avis]. Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Comments on [Robert Perkins] Letcher; meeting of four legislatures in the city. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 JAN. 31 **Harris**, Alfred T. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Claim of Melissa Ligon to Kentucky lands; its validity. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 JAN. **Swoope**, P. C. Huntingdon, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. National Union Party; his preferences. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 FEB. 1 **Scott**, Winfield. New York. To Crittenden. Correspondence with [Henry] W[ilson]; politics. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 185.

1860 FEB. 2 **Bresler**, C. H. York, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Prospects for National Union Party in Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 FEB. 2 **N[icholas]**, S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. National Union Party; arguments against success. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 FEB. 2 **Collins**, James. New Albany, Indiana. To Crittenden. Attitude of local Democracy toward the Union party; comment. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 FEB. 3 **Scott**, Winfield. New York. To W. T. Ritchie, Richmond, Virginia. Correspondence with Thomas Ritchie on the secession movement in 1831–2; division of the country into three sections. Copy. 4 p.

1860 FEB. 4 **Hay**, M[ortimer] D. Greenville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Favors Crittenden for President; reasons. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 FEB. 6 **Morris**, B. S. Chicago, [Illinois]. To Crittenden. Efforts being made for Union party; comment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 FEB. 7 **Pechin**, Edmund C. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Success in organizing the Union party in Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 FEB. 7 **Kennedy**, John P[endleton]. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. The Union party. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 185.

1860 FEB. 8 **Riley,** Thomas W. Kimbo Hill, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Census report; feeling of various factions in Kentucky toward secession. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 FEB. 10 **Dewees,** Jacob. Pottsville, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Injustice done Millard Fillmore; politics in Pennsylvania; efforts for the National Union party. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 FEB. 16 **Plautz,** J. E. Ephrata, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Efforts necessary for the Union party in Pennsylvania. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 FEB. 18 **Burwell,** William P. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Invitation to a wedding; result of recent convention in Virginia. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 FEB. 20 **Schley,** William. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Maryland legislature; will endeavor to visit Washington, D. C. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 FEB. 20 **Larrabee,** Charles. Hartford, Connecticut. To Crittenden. Sends letter on Constitutional Union Party. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 FEB. 21 **Larribee,** Charles. Hartford, Connecticut. To Crittenden. Desires Larribee's article to be universally read. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 FEB. 23 **Craik,** James. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Distribution of Craik's speech on Union principles. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 FEB. 24 **Harris,** Alfred T. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Claim of Melissa Ligon and her rights under Kentucky laws. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 FEB. 25 **Peyton,** Balie. Gallatin, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Membership on Executive Committee of Union Party; its plans; meeting of National Convention. L. S. 4 p.

1860 FEB. 27 **Graham,** W[illiam] A[lexander]. Hillsboro, North Carolina. To Crittenden. State convention of the Union party; idea of nominating two candidates. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 FEB. 27 **Ferguson,** William D. Memphis, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Result of state convention; delay of circulars from central committee. A. L. S. 2 p

1860 FEB. 27 **Freeman,** C. B. Fultonville, New York. To Crittenden. Place of meeting of National Convention of Union Party. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 FEB. 28 **Goff**, Washington. New York. To Crittenden. Suggests an Executive proclamation for day of thanksgiving and prayer. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 FEB. 29 **Pendergrast**, S. V. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Her husband [Garrett Jesse Pendergrast] in command of the U. S. S. *Merrimac*, to be investigated by the Senate. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 MAR. 1 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Result of state convention of the Union party; probable nominees for Presidency; personals. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 187.

1860 MAR. 5 **Kennedy**, John P. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. The Union Party. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 MAR. 5 **Combs**, Leslie. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. False philosophy of [William Henry] Seward and others; the Preisdency. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 MAR. 5 **Junior Sons of America**. Canonsburg, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Notification of election as honorary member. L. S. by three names in one handwriting. 1 p.

1860 MAR. 10 **Rawlings**, Edward P. New York. To Crittenden. Wants Crittenden's photograph for New York Illustrated News. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 MAR. 10 **Wigg**, W[illiam] Hazzard. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Claim of late William Hazzard Wigg for Revolutionary services. A. L. S. 2 p. with newspaper clipping attached. Also account. 2 p.

1860 MAR. 19 **Cabell**, E. C. [Aboard ship in Gulf of Mexico.] To Crittenden. Marriage settlement upon Mrs. Crittenden; his own finances; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 MAR. 19 **Lawrence**, Amos A[dams]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Prospects for a successful state convention. Copy. 1 p.

1860 MAR. 19 **Malcom**, Thomas S. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Arrival of a ship from Liberia; duty on tonnage; suggests congressional recognition of Liberia. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 MAR. 20 **Pendleton**, John. Redwood, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Publication of Pendleton's speech made at Whig convention in Richmond. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 Mar. 20 **Williams**, William R. Ironton, Ohio. To Crittenden. In preparing "Sketches of Lawyers"; desires autograph sketch of Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1860] Mar. 21 **Hale**, P. H. Washington, [D. C.] To J[esse] D. Bright. Publication of report that [John Jordan] Crittenden would be a candidate [for Presidency]. A. L. S. 2 p. With note from Bright to Crittenden, stating that he will require Hale to write Crittenden a letter of explanation for publication. A. L. S.

1860 Mar. 30 **Lawrence**, Amos A[dams]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Success of state convention; Crittenden as a candidate for Presidency; attitude of George Lunt. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Apr. 2 **Letcher**, R[obert] P[erkins]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Presidency; various candidates for nomination; offer of services of Thomas H. Clay; personals. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; I, 116.

1860 Apr. 3 **Nicholas**, S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Party preference; possibility that Union party will aid Democrats; favors nomination of John McLean; comment. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Apr. 10 **Old Dominion Society.** New York. To Crittenden. Invitation to dinner on anniversary of settlement of Jamestown. Lithographed L.S. by Dexter Otey, chairman executive committee.

1860 Apr. 19 **Comegys**, J[oseph] P[arsons]. Dover, [Delaware]. To Crittenden. "T. J. B." in the "National Intelligencer." A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 Apr.19 **Conrad**, C[harles] M[agill]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Political complexion of the country; southern feeling toward constitutional Union Party; will follow Crittenden's instructions. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Apr. 20 **Jouett**, James E. On board U. S. S. Crusader, [Charleston, South Carolina.] To Crittenden. Urges increase of pay for naval officers. A. L. S. 6 p. Mutilated.

1860 Apr. 23 **Sherman**, E. H. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Requests copy of Crittenden's speech on the Homestead bill. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 Apr. 24 **Barr,** J. M. Wilmington, Delaware. To Crittenden. Favors Crittenden for Presidential candidate of the National Union Party. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 Apr. 25 **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Washington Hunt. Confidence in the National Union convention; precaution necessary; comment. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 195.

1860 Apr. 27 **Comegys,** J[oseph] P[arsons]. Dover, [Delaware]. To Crittenden. State convention of opposition; requests men to speak at meeting to choose delegates for Baltimore convention. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 Apr. 30 **Pechin,** Edmund C. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Difficulties of conservative party in Pennsylvania; diligence of a few. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 May 3 **Ketchum,** Hiram. New York. To Crittenden. Question for the National Union Party a grave one; impossible to give advice. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 May 5 **Henry,** John F. Burlington, Iowa. To Crittenden. Admission of new states; slavery question. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 May 5 **Lawrence,** Amos A[dams]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Unable to attend convention of National Union Party; possible nominations; brief sketch of Massachusetts delegation. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 May 5 **Rives,** W[illiam] C[abell]. Castle Hill, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Unable to attend National Union convention; confidence in its deliberations and will act accordingly; opportunity before the party. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 May 6 **Badger,** George E[dmund]. Raleigh, [North Carolina]. To Crittenden. Expects Whig victory in gubernatorial election; equal taxation the issue; success in the legislature depends upon Gilliam. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 May 7 **Ketchum,** Hiram. New York. To Crittenden. Unable to attend National Union convention; objections to nominating a third Presidential candidate; limited means of their party; favors postponement of final action. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 May 7 **Grandin,** ——. To Crittenden. Favors Crittenden for President. A. L. S. 4 p.

[1860] MAY 10 **Ketchum**, Hiram. New York. To Crittenden. Encloses copy of his letter to President Buchanan. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 MAY 9 **Sanders**, George N. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To [James] Buchanan. Condemns telegram in New York Times; was serious in Charleston dispatches. Copy of telegram. 1 p.

1860 MAY 11 **Sanders**, George N. New York. To Crittenden. Possible removal as Naval Agent; encloses copy of telegram to President Buchanan. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 MAY 14 **McKinley**, Andrew. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Encloses statement of all accounts since taking charge of Mrs. Crittenden's real estate. A. L. S. 2 p. and accounts, 15 p.

1860 MAY 14 **Everett**, Edward. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Washington Hunt. Distressed on receiving nomination for Vice Presidency; desired his name withdrawn from the convention; now in embarrassing position. Copy 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 198.

1860 MAY 22 **Conrad**, C[harles] M[agill]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Dissatisfied with results of National Union convention; condition of politics in the south. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 MAY 22 **Saltonstall**, Leverett. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Invitation to attend state convention of the National Party. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 MAY 25 **Ogden**, James De P[eyster]. New York. To Crittenden. Invitation to attend meeting of Union Clubs of New York; purpose to ratify nominations of National Union Convention. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 MAY 27 **Pendleton**, N[athaniel] G[reene]. Oakland, Maryland. To Crittenden. Personal feeling toward nominations of National Union Party; claim of John Porter Brown for pay as Minister to Turkey; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 MAY 28 **Everett**, Edward. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Explains his feelings towards use of his name on the National Union Ticket; had given no authority for alleged statements. L. S. 5 p.

1860 MAY 30 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Edward Everett. Regrets any cause for displeasure; circumstances under which Crittenden

signed a certain letter; its contents; will accept Everett's course as to Vice Presidency. A. D'ft. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 208.

1860 JUNE 2 **Everett,** Edward. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Circumstances make it unnecessary to accept nomination formally; success of state convention of Constitutional Union Party; would prefer Crittenden at head of the party ticket. Copy. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 212.

1860 JUNE 2 **Lawrence,** A[mos] A[dams]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Political affairs of the state more encouraging; success of state convention of National Union Party; tide seems to have turned. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 JUNE 4 **Dunscomb,** William E. Jefferson City, [Missouri]. To John Harvey. Reasons why certain lands should not be sold for taxes. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 JUNE 6 **Fugitt,** J. Preston. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Encloses "An Address to the Patriotism of Country"; reverence for Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 JUNE 12 **Ketchum,** Hiram. New York. To Crittenden. Ideas of William Jagger on tariff; Senate should follow the lead of the House of Representatives; effect of tariff upon Western settlers. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 JUNE 22 **Williamson,** R. H. Boston, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Invitation in behalf of others to visit Boston; committee of Constitutional Party in high spirits. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 JUNE 26 **Wayne,** Henry C. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Laws relative to appointment of Quartermaster General of the Army; urges promotion of [Col. Charles] Thomas to that office. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 JUNE 30 **United States.** Public debt and customs income statistics. 2 p.

[1860] [JUNE] **[Crittenden,** John Jordan.] Frankfort, Kentucky. To [Samuel I. M. Major, Jr. editor of] the [Frankfort] "Yeoman." Denies making alleged accusations against J[ohn] C[abell] Breckinridge; is responsible for the speech in question and does not shun it. A. D'ft. Signature attached. 3 p.

1860 July 12 **Williams**, M. J. and W. J. **Kennedy**. Selma, Alabama. To Crittenden. Desire to know if he will support the Breckinridge and Lane ticket. L. S. 1 p. Endorsed by Crittenden that he supported the Bell and Everett ticket.

[1860] July 13 **N[icholas]**, S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Attitude of [Edward] Everett toward compromise of 1850; joint ticket scheme for Presidential campaign in certain states. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Aug. 27 **Missouri**, Constitutional Union Party. St. Joseph, Missouri. To Crittenden. Invitation to attend state convention. L. S. by 16 names as a committee. 3 p.

1860 Aug. 29 **Nashville**, Tennessee, Citizens. To Crittenden. Invitation to visit the city and deliver an address. Two printed copies with 38 signatures in all. 2 p.

1860 Sept. 1 **Missouri** Union Party. Saint Joseph, Missouri. To Crittenden. Invitation to State convention. Printed; 16 names as a committee. 1 p.

[1860] [Sept. 1] **Cunningham**, W. A. St. Joseph, Missouri. To Crittenden. Progress of campaign in Missouri; urges Crittenden to be present at the state convention; comment. A. L. S. 3 p. Endorsed: "Answered that I would if I could."

1860 Sept. 3 **Hunt**, Washington. Lockport, New York. To Crittenden. Presidential campaign: New York the battle ground; requests Crittenden to visit the state; reasons why his presence is desired. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 217.

1860 Sept. 4 **New York** Citizens. New York. To Crittenden. Approving the [National Union] Committee's invitation to Crittenden for an address. L. S. by 14 Signatures. 1 p.

1860 Sept. 5 **Ewing**, Edwin. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Private reception to Crittenden at Nashville impossible; plans of reception. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 Sept. 12 **Churchill**, Samuel. New York. To Crittenden. Has no confidence in the Black Republicans. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 Sept. 14 **Cunningham**, W. A. St. Joseph, Missouri. To Crittenden. Belief that Constitutional Union Party

will carry Tennessee; fighting against great odds in Missouri; Crittenden's presence needed in latter state. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 Sept. 14 **Mississippi** Citizens. Jackson, Mississippi. To Crittenden. Invitation to address a meeting of the Constitutional Union Party; no assurance of success in the state; general outlook of the campaign. L. S. 16 names in one handwriting. 4 p.

1860 Sept. 24 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Nashville, Tennessee. To Elizabeth Crittenden. His reception and speech at Nashville. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 219.

1860 Sept. 29 **New Albany** Citizens. New Albany, [Indiana]. To Crittenden. Invitation to speak at a National Union meeting. L. S. 9 signatures. 2 p.

[1860] [Sept.] [**Crittenden**, John Jordan.] [Frankfort?, Kentucky.] To W. M. Smallwood and others. Crittenden's invitation to visit Missouri; gloomy state of public affairs; parties in the Presidential campaign; will accept invitation with certain qualifications. A. D'ft. 5 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 215.

1860 Oct. 4 **Morehead**, C[harles] S[laughter]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Gloomy outlook for Constitutional Union Party in the East; attempt at fusion in New York and Pennsylvania; urges Crittenden to visit Pennsylvania; comment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 Oct. 6 **Keene**, W. H., & Co. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Receipted account for groceries. D. S. 1 p.

1860 Oct. 29 **Scott**, Winfield. Views suggested by the eminent danger of a disruption of the Union by the secession of one or more Southern States; possibility of new confederacies and results; his own political preferences; outlines for general defense. D. S. 6 p.

1860 Oct. 30 **Scott**, Winfield. New York. To Secretary of War [John Buchanan Floyd]. Encloses his "Views;" to be considered only in case of secession; commanders of southern ports should be warned; solicitude for safety of the Union. L. S. 2 p.

1860 Oct. **Hannibal**, ——. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. Carpentry account against Crittenden. 1 p.

1860 Nov. 12 **Scott**, Winfield. New York. To Crittenden. Sends an antisecession circular; no notice taken by Secretary of War of Scott's suggestions; probable formation of President Lincoln's Cabinet; personals. A. L. S. 4 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 219.

1860 Nov. 19 **Huntsville** Citizens. Huntsville, Alabama. Circular letter relative to state convention and secession of the South as a whole. Printed, with 100 names. 1 p.

1860 Nov. 24 **Clemens**, Jeremiah. Huntsville, [Alabama]. To Crittenden. Growth of secession movement in the state; plan to prevent immediate secession; general situation throughout the state. A. L. S. 5 p.

1860 Dec. 3 **Noble**, James F. Cincinnati, [Ohio]. To Crittenden. Urges a compromise to preserve the Union; interest of the border states; favor a convention to amend the Constitution; division in Ohio; compromise questions. A. L. S. 4 p.

[1860] Dec. 5 **N**[icholas], S[amuel] S[mith]. [Louisville, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Personals; sends drafts of resolutions; abolition and the proposition to declare a dictator. A. L. S. 2 p. Also resolutions. 1 p.

1860 Dec. 7 **Paxton**, Joseph. Catawissa, [Missouri?]. To Crittenden. Complimentary. A. L. S. 1 p.

1860 Dec. 8 **Whiting**, William B. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Deplorable state of the Union; scheme to divide the Union into two confederacies each to control their internal affairs while foreign relations were to be controlled by a common central government. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 Dec. 8 **Patterson**, Robert. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Plan to divide territorial lands into two equal parts, each part to be held in common, respectively, by slave and free states; scheme for government settlement; return of fugitive slaves. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 Dec. 8 **Grame**, John, Jr. Richmond, Virginia. To Crittenden. Scheme for a convention of the border or central

states to settle the political differences of the Union. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Dec. 10 **Davis,** Garrett. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Approves plan of Madison [Conyers] Johnson for settlement of national difficulties; feeling for secession extending; hope for a compromise; much to be sacrificed to save the Union. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Dec. 12 **Dixon,** Archibald. Henderson, [Kentucky]. To Gov. Beriah Magoffin of Kentucky. Circular recommending a convention of the border states; amendments to U. S. Constitution; ideas on secession. Printed. 4 p.

1860 Dec. 13 **Hicks,** Thomas H[olliday]. Annapolis, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. All eyes upon Crittenden as leader to allay the present political troubles; urges delay in collision; regrets opposition to the States' Committee; faith in Jefferson Davis. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Dec. 13 **Hicks,** Thomas H[olliday]. [Annapolis, Maryland.] Plan for improving the fugitive slave act and pacifying the states. Prepared by Thomas S. Alexander. A. D. S. 9 p.

1860 Dec. 14 **Fullerton,** W. G[eorge]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Scheme for compromising slavery troubles. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 Dec. 15 **Bibb,** John B. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Suggestions for a compromise to save the Union; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 Dec. 16 **Robertson,** G[eorge]. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Result of interview between [John C.] B[reckenridge?] and [Abraham] Lincoln about formation of Lincoln's cabinet; Lincoln's reply; comment on Lincoln's policies. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 222.

1860 Dec. 16 **Campbell,** J[ohn] A[rchibald]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Transmits draft of compromise resolution relative to recovery of fugitive slaves; comment. A. L. S. 1 p. Also draft. 1 p.

1860 Dec. 16 **Ridgway,** R. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Requests, for publication, Crittenden's views on duties of the border states. A. L. S. 2 p.

1860 Dec. 17 **Tallmadge,** N[athaniel] P[itcher]. Fond du Lac, Wisconsin. To Crittenden. The National crisis; people of North and South honest in their convictions; wrongs on both sides; relations between National Government and a seceding state; would prevent a single state from seceding, but would not force a combination of states; comment. A. L. S. 8 p.

1860 Dec. 17 **Anonymous.** Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Recommends repeal of the Fugitive Slave Law. 3 p.

1860 Dec. 18 **Haddock,** C[harles] B[rickett]. West Lebanon, New Hampshire. To Crittenden. Explains feeling of North toward the South; optimistic views; mistakes on both sides; expects a compromise. A. L. S. 11 p.

1860 Dec. 19 **Johnson,** M[adison] C[onyers]. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Favors a compromise convention of the border states; offers an amendment to the fugitive slave law; fugitive slaves in northern states. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Dec. 19 **Anonymous.** Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Complimentary remarks. Signed: "A Southener and a Lover of his Country." 2 p.

1860 Dec. 19 **New York** Citizens. To Crittenden. Favor compromise resolutions. L. S. by 16 signatures. 2 p.

1860 Dec. 20 **Wallace,** Perkins. Canton, Ohio. To Crittenden. Approves compromise resolutions offered by Crittenden; comment on recent Presidential election; sentiments of the masses; motives of President Buchanan. A. L. S. 6 p.

1860 Dec. 21 **Anonymous.** New York. To Crittenden. Scheme to emancipate slaves within thirty years. Signed, "A genuine Republican." 8 p.

1860 Dec. 22 **Calby,** S. B. Montpelier, [Vermont]. To Crittenden. Effect of Fugitive Slave Law in Vermont; real sentiment of the people; general ideas. A. L. S. 8 p.

1860 Dec. 22 **Ogden,** James D[e Peyster]. New York. To Crittenden. Favors Crittenden's compromise resolution; efforts on part of others; suggestions to amend the resolution. A. L .S. 6 p.

1860 Dec. 22 **Rice,** F. A. Keysburg, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Kentucky will not secede; comment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 Dec. 22 **Murray,** James B. New York. To Crittenden. Comment on fortification of Charleston harbor; remarks of Gov. [Edwin Dennison] Morgan; general feeling for a compromise; confidence in Crittenden. A. L. S. 7 p.

1860 Dec. 22 **Lord,** D[aniel]. New York. To Crittenden. Abolitionists and ultra Republicans the cause of conflict; suggestions; question about use of force to settle difficulties. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Dec. 22 **Gerard,** J[ames] W. New York. To Crittenden. Hearty approval of compromise resolutions; growth of abolition principles in New England; pecuniary suffering the only remedy. A. L. S. 3 p.

1860 Dec. 24 **Murray,** Washington. New York. To Crittenden. Endorses compromise resolutions; lack of force in representative men; confidence in Crittenden. A. L. S. 4 p.

1860 Dec. 24 **Croswell,** Edwin. New York. To Crittenden. Gratitude for compromise resolutions; problem to prevent secession; favors re-establishment of Missouri Compromise; sympathises with the South; belief that troubles can be settled amicably. A. L. S. 6 p.

1860 Dec. 24 **Looker,** Thomas H. Norfolk, Virginia. To Crittenden. Encloses circular recently sent to the clergy throughout the country. A. L. S. 1 p. Also printed circular signed. 1 p.

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1860 Dec. 29 **Lord,** Daniel. New York. To Crittenden. Petition to be prepared by citizens of New York; hopes Crittenden will not become discouraged in efforts for compromise; excitement over Major [Robert] Anderson's removal from Fort Moultrie to Fort Sumter; sale of Treasury notes deferred. A. L. S. 3 p.

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1861 JAN. 31 **Anonymous.** New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Feeling in the South; Republican representatives not legally elected. L. S. "Louisiana." 2 p. Also clippings.

[1861] [JAN.] **Bend, W. P.** [Kentucky.] To Crittenden and S[tephen] A[rnold] Douglas. Recommends that the compromise resolutions be submitted direct to the legislatures of each state. A. L. S. 2 p.

[1861] [JAN. ?] **Marshall, Charles A.** [Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Hopes that no blood will be shed before President Lincoln's Administration is fairly tested; efforts in favor of the Union in Kentucky; fears secession. A. L. S. 3 p.

[1861] [JAN. ?] **[Crittenden, John Jordan].** Draft of compromise resolutions. 1 p.

[1861] [JAN. ?] **Kentucky, Legislature.** Draft of resolutions against secession. 1 p.

[1861] [JAN. ?] **Congress.** Draft of amendments to Fugitive Slave law. 5 p.

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1861 Feb. 3 **Anonymous.** Scott County, Kentucky. To Crittenden. If there must be secession then three republics are better than two. L. S. "Your Friend." 3 p.

1861 Feb. 4 **New York Industrial Assembly.** National compromise. Printed. 1 p.

1861 Feb. 4 **Dean,** John. Galveston, [Texas]. To Crittenden. Has given up hope for compromise; attitude of Black Republicans; will support a civil war; to emancipate his slaves would be a great injury to them. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 Feb. 4 **Rush,** Benjamin. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Suggests that [Washington's] Farewell Address be read before Congress in presence of the President, Cabinet, Supreme Court, etc.; that the Farewell address be printed and distributed throughout the country; patriotic motives. A. L. S. 6 p.

1861 Feb. 4 **C[lay],** H[enry]. To Crittenden. Message from the Spirit world. 3 p.

1861 Feb. 6 **Elliott,** H[enry] H. New York. To Crittenden. Objections to compromise resolutions; a one-sided proposition. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 Feb. 6 **Leaming,** J. Fisher. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Local interest in compromise resolutions; objections to acquisition of territory. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 Feb. 7 **Wight,** O. W. Washington [D. C.] To Crittenden. Discussion of slavery and compromise resolutions. A. L. S. pages 5 to 24 only.

1861 Feb. 7 **Osborne,** A. C. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Gratitude for patriotic efforts to preserve the Union. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 Feb. 8 **Anonymous.** Mobile, Alabama. To Crittenden. Distracted condition of the Union; probable consequences. 4 p.

1861 Feb. 9 **Cooke,** P[hilip] St. George. Fort Crittenden, Utah. To Crittenden. Encloses general order changing name of Camp Floyd to Fort Crittenden. A. L. S. 1 p. Also order. 1 p.

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1861 FEB. 13 **Allen, C. B.** Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. People offended by remark of Charles Sumner that they signed petition for compromise in ignorance. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 FEB. 13 **Haverhill Citizens.** [Massachusetts]. To Charles Sumner. Deny ignorance of people in signing petition for compromise. Copy sent to J. J. Crittenden. 9 names. 3 p.

1861 FEB. 14 **Davis, Charles A[ugustus].** New York. To Crittenden. Effect of railroads upon eastern markets; disastrous results in the event of secession; suggests Feb. 22d as a day for a rejuvenation of the Union. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 FEB. 14 **Van Buren, John D.** Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Compromise resolutions and future acquisition of territory; draft of Constitutional amendments; comment. A. L. S. 4 p. Also draft of amendment. 8 p.

1861 FEB. 15 **Anderson, George W.** Louisiana, Missouri. To Crittenden. Gratitude to Crittenden and [Stephen Arnold] Douglas for their attitude in political crisis; position taken by border states. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 FEB. 15 **Franklin, J.** Little Osage, Missouri. To Crittenden. New mode of electing President; length of term; salary. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 FEB. 16 **Kennedy,** Thomas S. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Public sentiment toward Crittenden; attitude of the Republicans; is publishing an appeal to the North. L. S. 4 p.

1861 FEB. 16 **Canning,** Joseph C. Stockbridge, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Desires appointment as purser in U. S. Navy. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 FEB. 16 **Todd,** C[harles] S[cott]. New Orleans, Louisiana. To Crittenden. Gratitude for compromise efforts; faults on both sides. A. L. S. 2 p.

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1861 FEB. 19 **Stinson,** Daniel. New York. To Crittenden. At request of Major R[obert] Anderson sends piece of flag staff from Fort Moultrie. A. L. S. 1 p.

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1861 FEB. 19 **Anderson,** Robert. Fort Sumter, South Carolina. To Crittenden. Arguments of friends against retaining command of Fort Sumter; is certain as to proper course. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 FEB. 20 **Virginia** General Assembly. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Petition requesting Crittenden for an address. L. S. 70 signatures.

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1861 FEB. 21 **Bradford,** Simon. Memphis, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Public sentiment in Tennessee; desire for peace; army record; desires appointment as postmaster. A. L. S. 6 p.

1861 FEB. 21 **Wight,** O. W. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Sends draft of proposed amendments to the Constitution; power of Congress over slavery. A. L. S. 3 p. Also amendments. 2 p.

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1861 MAR. 3 **Crittenden,** John Jordan. Latter portion of farewell speech delivered in the U. S. Senate. Copy. 4 p. Entire speech printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 270.

1861 MAR. 4 **Willard,** Emma. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Gratitude for compromise efforts; sentiment of American women. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 MAR. 4 **Call,** W. Tallahassee, [Florida]. To Crittenden. False report of death of Crittenden Coleman; opposition to secession; true sentiment in the South toward the North; constitutional amendments. A. L. S. 8 p.

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1861 MAR. 13 **Fellows,** Julia B. Buffalo, [New York]. To Crittenden. Gratitude for patriotic efforts. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 MAR. 13 **Haven,** George W. Portsmouth, New Hampshire. To Crittenden. Admiration; invitation to visit Portsmouth. A. L. S. 2 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 295.

1861 APR. 1 **Nicholasville** Citizens, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver an address. L. S. 68 signatures. 3 p.

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the matter. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 318.

1861 Apr. 16 **Andrews,** L. W. Flemingsburg, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Recent speech of John C. Breckenridge; invitation to Crittenden to speak. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 Apr. 16 **Harton,** L. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Opposition to border states waging war on the South. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 Apr. 18 **Everett,** Edward. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Regrets not meeting [James?] Harlan; intense war feeling; course of the border states; country aroused to a feeling unknown since the Stamp Act. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 Apr. 20 **Robinson,** R. M. Covington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Neutrality of Kentucky and attitude of Governor [Beriah] Magoffin. A. L. S. 3 p. Newspaper clippings inclosed.

1861 Apr. 20 **Sloan,** Mrs. John Q. To Crittenden. Civil strife and probable results. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 Apr. 22 **Lawrence,** Amos A[dams]. Near Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Organization of militia; intense feeling; sentiment toward Kentucky. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 319.

1861 Apr. 23 **Minor,** W. J. Natchez, [Mississippi]. To Crittenden. Suggests an armistice; efforts by border states. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 Apr. 23 **Ross,** N. M. Indianapolis, [Indiana]. To Crittenden. Troops raised in Indiana; preservation of the Constitution; local sentiment; confidence in Crittenden. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 Apr. 26 **Hickman** Citizens, Kentucky. To Crittenden "And others." Approval of Crittenden's defence of the Union. L. S. 25 signatures. 2 p.

1861 Apr. 27 **Welch,** Ashbel. Lambertville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Submission of constitutional questions to the U. S. Supreme Court to effect a compromise. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 Apr. 28 **Davis,** Thomas T. Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Ability of Kentucky to save the Union; course to be taken; comment. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 Apr. 28 **Green,** Thomas. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Scheme for an armistice and convention to authorize secession. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 APR. 30 **Stevens,** Andrew J. Des Moines, Iowa. To Crittenden. Kentucky as a neutral state; border states convention last resource; local feeling. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 MAY 1 **Wilcox,** Andrew J. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Power of individual states to prohibit slavery; territorial government; admission of new states. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 MAY 3 **Potter,** Henrietta E. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires employment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 MAY 7 **Lawrence,** A[mos] A[dams]. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Kentucky and the Union; neutrality impossible; outpouring of men and money in the North. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 MAY 7 **Wickliffe,** D[aniel] C[armichael]. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Congressional election; Crittenden sure of election if nominated. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 MAY 9 **Jones,** W[illiam] P[almer]. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Proposition that England or France interpose for the peace of the country; position taken by Tennessee and Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 MAY 11 **Davis,** Garett. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Candidates for Congress; country demands Crittenden's service. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 MAY 14 **Crittenden,** James L. Richmond, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Desires appointment to West Point Military Academy; political sentiment; recent imprisonment; family matters. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 MAY 15 **Watkins,** John A. New Orleans, [Louisiana]. To Crittenden. Neutrality impossible in Kentucky; course taken by Maryland; comment. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 MAY 15 **Gordon,** F. H. Jennings Fork, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Intense feeling in Tennessee; fear of secession; majority for neutrality. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 MAY 23 **Gorin,** F[rank]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Doubts position of Charles S[laughter] Morehead; Kentucky to remain in the Union. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 JUNE 6 **Armstrong,** William H. St. Joseph, Missouri. To Crittenden. Condition of western commerce; neces-

sity of removal of blockade from western cities. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 JUNE 13 **Harrison**, Thomas B. Russellville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desire of Lieut. John W. Todd to be relieved from duty in the South; reasons. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 JUNE 24 **Glover**, Charles. Bath City, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Amendment to Constitution necessary. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 JUNE 25 **Harlan**, John M[arshall]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Departure of Kentucky delegation to Congress; position taken by secessionists. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 JUNE 26 **Cabell**, E[dward] C[arrington]. Richmond, Virginia. To Crittenden. Condition of affairs in Missouri; intended visit to Crittenden; prosperity and spirit of the South; the Union divided forever. A. L. S. 11 p.

1861 JUNE 30 **May**, James. Davenport, Iowa. To Crittenden. Views on present conflict between the states. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 JUNE 30 **Morehead**, C[harles S[laughter]. Nashville, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Would impeach the President for unconstitutional acts; urges acknowledgment of the Confederate Union; Crittenden should head the movement. A. L. S. 9 p.

1861 JUNE 30 **Hiller**, Augustus C. Brooklyn, [New York]. To Crittenden. Views on slavery; secession. A. L. S. 17 p.

1861 JULY 1 **Fuller**, Robert A. Dansville, [New York]. To Crittenden. Query as to order commanding all southernes to return home under penalty of confiscation of property. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 JULY 1 **Hugg**, John H. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To [Crittenden]. Problems coming before extra session of Congress; personal sentiments. Lithograph L. S. 6 p.

1861 JULY 3 **Smith**, Henry M. Fairfield, Connecticut. To Crittenden. Belief that Texas should be declared a separate independency as peace offering to South; favors slavery. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 JULY 4 **Hugg**, John H. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Encloses letter of July 1; hope for the Union. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 July 5 **Brown**, Orlando. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Patriotic celebration in Kentucky on July 4; West Point warrant for stepson, Lucas Brodhead. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 July 8 **Anderson**, Robert. Cresson, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Opposes raising a Kentucky regiment for Federal army; neutrality his reason; would sacrifice anything to preserve Kentucky to the Union. Copy. 2 p.

1861 July 9 **Mulford**, John. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Comment on National affairs. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 July 9 **Brown**, Orlando. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Effect of President Lincoln's Message upon the Union party of Kentucky; Crittenden's course will be sustained by Kentucky; Secessionists are desperate. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 July 13 **Doniphan**, George. Augusta, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Neutrality of Kentucky; would preserve the Union from bloodshed. A. L. S. 7 p.

1861 July 13 **Underwood**, J[oseph] R[ogers]. [Bowling Green, Kentucky.] To Crittenden. Doubts possibility of pacification of Southern states at present time; suggests certain resolutions that express the motives of the North. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 325.

1861 July 14 **Bacon**, James W. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Deplorable condition of the country caused by fanatics; comment. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 July 19 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Elizabeth Crittenden. Personals; offers a resolution in the House of great consequence; belief that it will pass with large majority. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 329.

1861 July 21 **Campbell**, L. A. Pike, New York. To Crittenden. Possibility of a compromise. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 July 25 **Yantis**, J. M. Danville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Query as to possibility of compromise, coersion. A. L. S. 3 p. Mutilated.

1861 July 29 **Porter**. Isaiah J. Harrisburg, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Sympathy with efforts to save the Union. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 July — **Michaels,** J. Gerard, Illinois. To Crittenden. Views on condition of the country; remedies. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 Aug. 11 — **Prentice,** George D. and Paul R. **Shipman.** Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Efforts to organize federal troops in Kentucky to convey arms across the state; injurious results if permitted to continue. A. L. S. of Shipman. 5 p.

1861 July 12 — **Davis,** Garrett. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Objections to Federal camp established in Garrard county by Capt. [William] Nelson; urges its removal. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 Aug. 13 — **Robinson,** J[ames] F. Georgetown, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Objections to encampment of Federal troops in Kentucky; injurious results. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 Aug. 16 — **Nelson,** W[illiam]. Camp at Dick Robinson's, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Surprised at excitement caused by encampment of Federal troops in Kentucky; will maintain peace and law; will keep his appointment at the house of M[adison] C[onyers] Johnson. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 Sept. 18 — **McKinley,** Andrew. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Inability to settle a claim against [John Charles] Frémont. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 Sept. 25 — **Wolfe,** Nathaniel. To Crittenden. Requests letter of introduction for Thomas H. Clay to the President. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 Sept. 25 — **Fry,** John B. New York. To Crittenden. Attitude of Kentucky in present conflict; faith in the country; eulogizes late Willie P[earson] Mangum. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 Oct. 7 — **Scott,** Winfield. New York. To Crittenden. Asserts his friendship; about to embark for Europe; apology for distrusting Thomas [Leonidas Crittenden]. A. L. S. 4 p.

1861 Oct. 12 — **Crittenden,** J[ohn] J[ordan]. Lancaster, [Kentucky]. To Elizabeth Crittenden. Tour through the camps throughout the state. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 330.

1861 Oct. 25 — **Nelson,** W[illiam]. Camp Wadsworth, Hazel Green, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Transmits captured

letters; Nelson's simultaneous assault on West Liberty and Hazel Green; Shelton Trimble among those captured; about to resume march on Prestonsburg. L. S. 2 p.

1861 Oct. — **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Camp Dick Robinson, [Kentucky]. To Elizabeth Crittenden. Safe arrival and kind treatment; disappointed in not witnessing an active campaign. A. L. S. 1 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 329.

1861 Nov. 7 — **Princeton** Citizens, Kentucky. Testimonial as to ability, character, and property of A. Harpending. D. S. 7 signatures and sworn to before county clerk.

1861 Nov. 13 — **Hunton**, Logan. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To [John Charles] Frémont. If an interview is not granted to deliver a letter from J[ohn] J[ordan] Crittenden letter will be returned to Crittenden with report. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 Nov. 14 — **Hunton**, L[ogan]. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Difficulty in interviewing [John Charles] Frémont to press Crittenden's claim; city too small for both Frémont and Francis [Preston] Blair. A. L. S. 3 p.

1861 Nov. 14 — **Frémont**, J[ohn] C[harles]. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Reasons for not granting interview with [Logan] Hunton; prefers that business matters be communicated direct. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 Nov. 22 — **Hunton**, Logan. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Financial affairs of [John Charles] Frémont; war movements in Missouri. A. L. S. 2 p.

1861 Nov. 27 — **Samuel**, E. L. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Transmits resolutions of citizens of Franklin county declaring emancipation of slaves unconstitutional. A. L. S. 1 p.

1861 Dec. 10 — **Anonymous**.[?] St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Views on the present state of the country; its causes. L. S. "A Stranger." 40 p.

1861 Dec. 15 — **Morehead**, C[harles] S[laughter]. Fort Warren, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. His arrest and imprisonment; inhumanity of prison life at Fort Lafayette; no formal charges preferred; can not take oath of allegiance for financial reasons; propositions for a parol. A. L. S. 5 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 333.

1862 JAN. 3 — **Rose**, William B. Washington, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Desires copy of Crittenden's eulogy of S[tephen] A[rnold] Douglas. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 JAN. 12 — **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To C[harles] S[laughter] Morehead. Crittenden's efforts which resulted in the release of Morehead from prison. A. L. S. 3 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 343.

1862 JAN. 14 — **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Washington, [D. C.] To Orlando Brown. Introduces Anthony Trollope. Copy. 1 p.

1862 JAN. 17 — **Rogers**, C[hristopher] C. Fort Lafayette, [New York]. To Crittenden. His arrest and imprisonment; desires aid for release; would take oath of allegiance. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 JAN. 25 — **Scott**, Winfield. New York. To Crittenden. Hurried return from Europe; fears war with England; desires to go to Key West for health; continued illness. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 JAN. 31 — **Phythian**, J. L. Receipted account against Crittenden for medical services. A. D. S. 1 p.

1862 FEB. 3 — **Morrison**, M. B. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Leslie Combs. Change of railroad schedule may abolish his position; scheme for adjustment. A. L. S. 2 p. Referred to Crittenden by Combs.

1862 FEB. 6 — **Robinson**, J[ames] F. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Political factions in Kentucky legislature; schemes of the Democrats; general comment. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 FEB. 7 — **Rush**, Benjamin. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Urges commemoration of [George] Washington's birthday by reading Farewell Address in Congress; petition forwarded and previous efforts. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 FEB. 7 — **Ingersoll**, J[oseph] R[eed] and 3 others. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Transmit memorial for appropriate commemoration of George Washington's birthday. L. S. 2 p.

1862 FEB. 7 — **Suggett**, James M. Harrisonville, Missouri. To Crittenden. Military operations in Missouri; depredations of Col. [Charles R.] Jennison; urges an investigation. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 FEB. 17 **Speed,** J[oshua] F[ry]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Activity of Brig. Gen. Thomas L[eonidas] Crittenden; public sentiment is that his conduct is good; joy over the fall of Fort Donelson. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 FEB. 19 **Miller,** J. J. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To M. B. Morrison. Optimistic views regarding his reappointment. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 FEB. 19 **Clay,** Thomas H. Mansfield, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Thanking Crittenden for efforts to obtain a foreign mission for him. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 FEB. 23 **Morehead,** C[harles] S[laughter]. Staten Island, New York. To Crittenden. Release from prison; devotion to the Union; interview with President Lincoln; disregard of the Constitution by the Administration; miseries of prison life; ill health and family scattered; vengeance of [William Henry] Seward. A. L. S. 12 p. Printed: Coleman, Life of Crittenden, Phila., 1871; II, 336.

1862 FEB. 23 **Bacon,** R. A. Paducah, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Good health and spirits of T[homas] L[eonidas] Crittenden; desires release of J. M. Ogden charged with smuggling; movements of [Brig.] Gen. [William] Nelson's division. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 FEB. 27 **Hall,** J. C. Versailles, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Gratitude for favors; desires appointment as special mail agent. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 MAR. 1 **Kasson,** John A[dams]. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Appointment of postmaster at Georgetown, Kentucky; fitness of [M. B.] Morrison for the mail service. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 MAR. 3 **Clarke,** Charles J. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Bill before Congress effecting judicial districts of Kentucky; the clerkship. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 MAR. 4 **Blake,** George S. Frigate *Constitution*, Newport, R. I. To Crittenden. Cause of dismissal of [William O.] Boyle from Naval Academy. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 MAR. 5 **Harpending,** A. New York. To Crittenden. Forced to leave Kentucky because of Union principles; comment. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 MAR. 6 **Read,** John M. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Urges retention of William B. Taylor as postmaster at New York. A. L. S. 4 p. Endorsed by George D. Prentice.

1862 MAR. 13 **Finnell**, John W. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Thanking Crittenden for kindnesses to Finnell's sister. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 MAR. 17 **Turner**, W. S. Washington, Indiana. To Crittenden. Payment of Turner's hotel bill. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 MAR. 20 **Rowland**, John H. On board U. S. S. *Wabash* Port Royal, South Carolina. To Crittenden. Service in the U. S. Navy; desires promotion. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 MAR. 21 **Ballard**, A. J[ackson]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Objections to bill before Congress regulating Federal Courts in Kentucky. A. L. S. 1 p. With printed objections. 4 p.

1862 MAR. 22 **Morrison**, M. B. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Requests appointment as mail agent or tax collector. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 MAR. 24 **Buckner**, R[ichard] A. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Col. Magoffin sentenced to be hung for violation of parole; controversy arising from the case. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 MAR. 24 **Smedley**, J. L. Harrodsburg, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Recommends appointment of Abbott as chaplain in army. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 MAR. 25 **Haun**, W. G. Lyons, Iowa. To Crittenden. Tax on whiskey. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 MAR. 26 **Todd**, L. B. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Recommends Thomas H[art] Clay for an appointment. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 MAR. 27 **Moorman**, William. Indianapolis, [Indiana]. To Crittenden. Asks parol for Capt. George T. Moorman. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 MAR. 31 **Carter**, Angelina. Waco, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires pardon for T. Q. Carter. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 APR. 4 **McLean**, Frank Jay. Camp Chase, Ohio. To Crittenden. Is prisoner of war; army service and ill health; desires parol. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 APR. 4 **Russell**, William H. Trinidad de Cuba. To Crittenden. Public and private life in the Consulate. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 APR. 5 **Brown**, David Paul. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Desires mission to Spain vacated by Carl Schurz; qualifications. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 Apr. 8 **Rose**, William B. Washington, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Compliments Crittenden's speech upon resolution offered by President Lincoln; slavery agitation. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 Apr. 10 **Bryant**, J. W. On board *Rhode Island*, Fortress Monroe, [Virginia]. To Crittenden. Expected "visit of the *Merrimac*; the *Vanderbilt*, to run her down; confident of victory; motives of the Rebel fleet; intelligence from Florida; will leave when the "visit of the *Merrimac* is decided"; personals. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 Apr. 10 **McLean**, Finis E. Savannah, Missouri. To Crittenden. His son [Frank Jay McLean] a prisoner of war; desires his release. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 Apr. 14 **Steele**, John. Steele's Run, [Ohio?]. To Crittenden. Experiences in the War of 1812; suggests parched corn instead of coffee. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 Apr. 16–26 **Boyle**, J[eremiah] T[ilford]. Battle Field of Shiloh, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Praises conduct of Brig. Gen. Thomas [Leonidas] Crittenden at battle of Shiloh; health of self and Gen. Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 Apr. 17 **Todd**, L. B. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Solicits influence for an appointment for Thomas Hart Clay. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 Apr. 17 **Bruce**, William W. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Requests copy of Congressional Globe. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 Apr. 18 **Walker**, J. W. Covington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Requests Congressional Globe during 36th Congress. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 Apr. 19 **Milton**, B. T. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Desires appointment as collector of federal taxes. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 Apr. 20 **Addison**, Thomas J. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Asks for copy of Army Register. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 Apr. 20 **Struthers**, John S. Philadelphia. To Thomas H[art] Clay. Private life; army record; political connections; desires political appointment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 Apr. 20 **Finnell**, John W. Frankfort, Kentucky. General order No. 13 praising Kentuckians for bravery at Shiloh. Printed. 1 p.

1862 APR. 22 **Coates**, Benjamin. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Recognition of Liberia; Henry Clay's interest in colonization; efforts of Kentucky delegation; possibility of a negro in Diplomatic Corps. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 APR. 24 **Clay**, Thomas H[art]. Mansfield, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Endorses for an appointment John S. Struthers whose father made a sarcophagus for both George Washington and Henry Clay. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 APR. 25 **Speed**, J[oshua] F[ry]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Urges appointment of Father Hollman as chaplain. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 APR. 25 **Treat**, Samuel. St. Louis, Missouri. To Crittenden. Patriotism and loyalty to the Union. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 APR. 25 **Montague**, R. V., Jr. St. Louis, Missouri. To Crittenden. Desires political appointment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 APR. 25 **McKee**, Alexander R. Panama. To Crittenden. Complains of reduction in allowance by Post Office Department; expenses and duties of mail agent. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 APR. 26 **Gross**, S[amuel] D. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Recent visit to Brig. Gen. Thomas [Leonidas] Crittenden at Pittsburg Landing; hospitable reception; his conduct in battle of Shiloh; great loss in killed and wounded; severely criticises [Maj. Gen. Ulysses Simpson] Grant, who is universally condemned for negligence; Gen. Crittenden adverse to newspaper reporters. A. L. S. 4 pp.

1862 APR. 26 **Finnell**, John W. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Misconduct of Maj. Gen. [Ulysses Simpson] Grant and his officers at battle of Shiloh; praises [Maj. Gen. Don Carlos] Buell, Brig. Gen. Thomas Leonidas Crittenden, and Kentucky troops; comment. A. L. S. 4 p. Part missing.

1862 APR. 26 **Speed**, J[oshua] F[ry]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Suggests that [Brig. Gen. Jeremiah Tilford] Boyle be ordered to Washington to give information about battle of Shiloh; gallantry of Brig. Gen. Thomas L. Crittenden; comment. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 APR. 28 **Starling**, Lyne. Camp Shiloh, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Conduct of Brig. Gen. Thomas Leonidas

Crittenden at battle of Shiloh; his own army service; desires that his commission be recognized by the President. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 Apr. 29 **Hunton,** Logan. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Approves Crittenden's recent speech on Emancipation; pessimistic views; family matters. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 Apr. 29 **Keene,** G[eorge]. Georgetown, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires a mail contract. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 Apr. 30 **Fletcher,** Clement B. De Soto, Missouri. To Crittenden. Encloses list of persons who desire copies of Crittenden's speeches. A. L. S. 1 p. Also list of 56 names. 2 p.

1862 Apr. 30 **Moore,** James. Hopkinsville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires copy of articles of war. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 2 **Sausser,** William. Hannibal, Missouri. To Crittenden. Sends copy of his own letter to John B. Anderson containing his views on emancipation of slaves. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 May 3 **Pasco,** O. B. Red Wing, Minnesota. To Crittenden. Comment on measures before the country. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 May 3 **Anderson,** Mrs. G. W. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Desires an appointment as Assistant Quartermaster for her son, Washington. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 May 3 **Bryant,** J. W. Fernandina, [Florida]. To Crittenden. Conditions in Florida; suggests a provisional government; civil government necessary; contrabands in Florida. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 May 4 **Peyton,** Balie. Station Camp, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Conditions in Tennessee; people on the verge of conciliation and reunion; motives of Governor [Andrew] Johnson; personals. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 May 5 **Stephens,** W. Hudson. Martinsburgh, New York. To Crittenden. Desires [Alfred] Mordecai's military report. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 5 **Tuyman,** Buford. [Confederate] Camp. To Crittenden. Asks that enclosed letter be forwarded to his family. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 5 **Stern**, Samuel. Boston, [Massachusetts]. To Crittenden. Disapproves emancipation; approves of Crittenden's course. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 May 7 **Speed**, J[oshua] F[ry]. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. [Brig. Gen. Jeremiah T.] Boyle to visit Washington on personal matters and not to make a complaint against any one. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 May 7 **Watson**, P. H. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. War Department declines to release any rebel prisoners. L. S. 1 p.

1862 May 8 **Reynolds**, John. Belleville, Illinois. To Crittenden. Opposition to emancipation; favors a Union party. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 May 8 **Weir**, James. Owensboro, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Recommends Colonel Charles S[cott] Todd for military duty in Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 8 **Headrys**, Emma C. Louisville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Payment of his loan to her. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1862] May 8–13 **"Uncle Tom."** [Thomas Leonidas Crittenden?] Diary like sheet. To "Hon. J. J. C." [Crittenden]. Personal and family notes; [Brig.] Gen. [Jeremiah T.] Boyle gone to Washington. 2 p.

1862 May 8 **Beatty**, O[rmond]. Danville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Gratitude for his appointment as a visitor to West Point. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 9 **Buford**, W. S. Midway, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires leave of absence from Naval Academy for his son. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 May 9 **McKenzie**, Samuel J. Pocahontas, Pennsylvania. To Mrs. Elizabeth Crittenden. Begs for money. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 10 **Brown**, John T. Bloomfield, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Rumor of a mixed marriage in Washington; troublesome times; recollections of war of 1812. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 May 11 **Hughes**, Willis G. Marion, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Recommends Albert Gilliam for an appointment. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 May 11 **Curle**, Dudley. Richmond, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires superintendency of U. S. Mint at New Orleans; influence and qualifications. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 11 **Ogden**, James De P[eyster]. New York. To Crittenden. Conservative ideas; "the rebellion virtually over." A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 12 **Russell**, John W. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Requests release of confederate prisoners William A. Braddock and William Jett. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 May 12 **Ham**, John C. New York. To Crittenden. Organization of conservative party. A. L. S. Also platform of Democratic Constitutional Union party. Printed. 1 p.

1862 May 12 **Hill**, Robert J. Johnson's Island, Ohio. To Crittenden. Is a prisoner of war and desires a release; circumstances. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 May 12 **Kentucky** Cavalry, 2d regiment, officers. Savannah, Tennessee. To Crittenden. Enlistment of "loyal blacks"; desire information; comment. Copy. 2 p.

1862 May 13 **Combs**, Leslie. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Effects of actions of abolitionists in Congress; lives endangered. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 May 13 **Ketchum**, Hiram. New York. To Crittenden. Movement for a conservative party in Congress; comment. A. L. S. 2 p. Mutilated.

1862 May 14 **Carter**, O[liver] G. New York. To Crittenden. Favors conservative movement. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 May 14 **Dudley**, W[illiam] A. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Complaint against Col. [William A.] Warner; unlawful arrests; ill effect of such depradations. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 15 **Boyle**, J[eremiah] T[ilford]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. His army service; delay in receiving commission; acceptance and pay. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 May 15 **Redden**, Laura C. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires interview. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 May 16 **Bache**, A. D. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Sends map of Eastern Virginia. Lithographed letter filled in. 1 p.

1862 May 16 **Cooper**, Henry C. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires a clerkship. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 May 16 **[Ketchum**, Hiram.] [New York.] To Abraham Lincoln. Disapproves emancipation contrary to law; maintainance of the Constitution and law. Copy. 2 p. Mutilated.

1862 May 19 **Harpers,** Henry. Pella, Iowa. To Crittenden. Conservative principles; writes as a representative of the Holland population in America. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 19 **Ketchum,** Hiram. New York. To Crittenden. Copies letter from president's secretary acknowledging that of Ketchum; approves upholding of the Constitution. Copy. 1 p.

1862 May 19 **Redden,** Laura C. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Desires material for a sketch of Crittenden to be published in "Notable men in the House." A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 20 **Nollen,** John. Pella, Iowa. To Crittenden. Strength of conservative element in the north. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 May 23 **Fowler,** W. P. Smithland, Kentucky. To Beriah Magoffin. Conflict with military authority; form of oath required; comment. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 May 29 **Magoffin,** B[eriah]. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Conflict between civil and military authority; its effects; recommends Col. [William E.] Woodruff for promotion as brigadier general. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 June 5 **Rose,** William B. Washington, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Pamphlets received; compliments. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 June 19 **Boyle,** J[eremiah] T[ilford]. Louisville, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Desires commission for son; military information. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 June 20 **Sweeney,** A[ndrew] J. Wheeling, Virginia. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver an address on July 4. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 June 22 **Crittenden,** T[homas] L[eonidas]. Camp near Florence, Alabama. To Crittenden. Effect of war upon his character; comment on war and course of the Administration; faith in President Lincoln; Maj. Gen. Buell and his army neglected. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 June 24 **Morris,** B. S. Chicago, [Illinois]. To Crittenden. Introduces Capt. Stampoffskie; object of his visit to Washington. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 June 25 **Anderson,** John. Oakam, Massachusetts. To Crittenden. Enclosed plan for settling the national difficulties;

will have all southern states back in Union in six months. A. L. S. 3 p. Also the plan. 3 p.

1862 JUNE 27 **Warner,** E. H. New York. To Crittenden. Encloses petition of citizens that slavery be controlled by individual states. A. L. S., 1 p.; also the petition with 33 signatures, 1 p.

1862 JUNE 28 **Harlan,** James. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Introduces Lindsley. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 JULY 2 **Law,** John. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Approval of Crittenden's course in Congress. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1862] JULY 2 **[Law,** John]. [Washington, D. C.] Address to have been made in praise of Crittenden before [Congressional] Committee of the Whole. A. D. 2 p.

1862 JULY 8 **Callaghan,** Charles. Brooklyn, New York. To Crittenden. Preservation of the Union. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 JULY 9 **Callaghan,** Charles. Brooklyn, New York. To Crittenden. He has written out a plan for preserving the Union; desires its adoption. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 JULY 12 **Blair,** F[rancis] P[reston]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Remote emancipation; probable adoption in Kentucky; course of border states. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 AUG. 1 **Rumsey,** Edward. Greenville, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. His views on war and secession. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 AUG. 30 **Dils,** John, Jr. Catlettsburg, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Foraging in Kentucky; desires to raise a force in Sandy Valley. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 SEPT. 7 **Hunton,** Logan. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Personal and family matters. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 SEPT. 8 **Mackenzie,** M. R. Morristown, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Thanking Crittenden for his appointment to U. S. Naval Academy. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 SEPT. 11 **Daniels,** F. Washington, [D. C.]. To Crittenden. Movements of Confederate troops in Maryland and Virginia; apparent motives. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 SEPT. 23 **Cox,** S[amuel] S[ullivan]. Springfield, Ohio. To Crittenden. Invitation to make a speech. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 OCT. 3 **Henley,** W. R. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Views against emancipation. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 Oct. 31 **Ketchum**, Hiram. New York. To Crittenden. Comment on fall elections; efforts in New York. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 Nov. 5 **Crittenden**, J[ohn] J[ordan]. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To [Thomas Leonidas Crittenden]. Benefits of Christian religion; Stonewall Jackson as an example; advice as to conduct in the army; Eugene [Wilkinson Crittenden]. Copy. 4 p. Part missing.

1862 Nov. 8 **[Thornton**, Lucy]. San Francisco, California. To Crittenden. About to leave for Washington, D. C.; personals. A. L. S. "Sister." 2 p.

1862 Nov. 12 **Peyton**, Balie. Gallatin, [Tennessee]. To Crittenden. Introduces Robert J. Farquharson; recent visit to [Brig.] Gen. Thomas L. Crittenden. Written by John Peyton. 2 p.

1862 Nov. 20 **Blackburn**, R. W. Frankfort, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Requests aid for release of his brother. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 Nov. 26 **Robertson**, G. Lexington, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Civil authority resisted by the military in Kentucky; harboring of slaves; special complaints. A. L. S. 4 p.

1862 Nov. 26 **St. Nicholas Society.** New York. To Crittenden. Invitation from the Stewards to anniversary dinner. L. S. by A. R. Macdonough, secretary. 2 p.

1862 Nov. 28 **Bates**, Edward. Washington, [D. C.]. To Crittenden. Encloses copy of opinion of Judge Advocate General of Great Britain on Martial Law [dated 1860]. A. L. S. 1 p.

1862 Dec. 1 **Alexander**, R. Atcheson. Spring Station, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Introduces Charles Madison Alexander. A. L. S. 2 p.

1862 Dec. 1 **Dowling**, Thomas. Terre Haute, Indiana. To Crittenden. Course taken by Congress and what may be expected; politics in Indiana. A. L. S. 3 p.

1862 Dec. 2 **Boutwill**, E. B. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Sends petition asking for compensation for losses by action of government. A. L. S. 1 p.

[1862] Dec. 2 **Brooks**, Erastus. New York. To Crittenden. Publication of Crittenden's speech in the "Herald." Copy. 1 p.

1862 Dec. 3 **Lane**, W[illiam] B[artlett]. Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. To Crittenden. Desires influence for promotion; details of his service in U. S. Army. L. S. 4 p.

1862 Dec. 8 **Dudley**, Thomas P. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Constitutionality of Emancipation Proclamation; comment; colonization of negroes west of Rocky Mountains. A. L. S. 15 p.

1862 Dec. 10 **Massey**, Thomas E., and 4 others. Saint Paul, Minnesota. To Crittenden. Invitation to celebration for the triumph of conservative principles in recent elections. L. S. 1 p.

1862 Dec. 12 **Ketchum**, Hiram. New York. To Crittenden. Opposition to emancipation. A. L. S. 2 p. Also 2 newspaper articles.

[1862?] **A Mother**. To her son in the Army. Spiritual advice; personals and family matters. A. L. 2 p.

[1862] **Epineuil**, Lionel J. d'. Washington, D. C. To Crittenden. Requests letter to his son Major General [Thomas Leonidas] Crittenden; desires commission as aid de camp. A. L. S. 2 p. Also copied therein is letter to him from A[mbrose] E[verett] Burnside dated July 23, 1862; also one from A[braham] Lincoln dated August 11, 1862, relative to his service and appointment.

1863 Jan. 7 **Lord**, Daniel. New York. To Crittenden. Introduces [George Etienne] Cartier. A. L. S. 1 p.

1863 Jan. 21 **Pooley**, Samuel James. Liberty Corner, New Jersey. To Crittenden. Possibility of French alliance with the Confederates. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 Jan. 25 **Scott**, W[illiam] B. New York. To Crittenden. Provisions for a compromise between Northern and Southern states. A. L. S. 3 p.

1863 Jan. 25 **Cates**, O[wen] G. St. Louis, Missouri. To Crittenden. No faith in President Lincoln's political principles; President's motives; defends the Constitution. A. L. S. 4 p.

1863 Jan. 26 **Finnell**, John W. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Political situtation in Kentucky; attitude toward President Lincoln's administration; local matters; praise for Kentucky troops at Murfreesboro. A. L. S. 3 p.

1863 Jan. 28 **Davis**, Charles A[ugustus]. New York. To Crittenden. Comment on President Lincoln's attitude toward the Constitution. A. L. S. 7 p.

1863 JAN. 29 **Hunton,** Logan. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Compares secession with the acts of President Lincoln; President should be arraigned by Crittenden. A. L. S. 3 p.

1863 JAN. 31 **Johnson,** Reverdy. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Fees for legal services. A. L. S. 4 p.

1863 JAN. 32 **George,** John H. Concord, New Hampshire. To Crittenden. Campaign for congressional elections in New Hampshire. "Copy." 2 p.

1863 FEB. 3 **Finnell,** John W. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. State invaded by Confederate troops; state politics. A. L. S. 1 p.

1863 FEB. 4 **Dewees,** Jacob. Harrisburg, [Pennsylvania]. To Crittenden. Measures taken to call a National Convention. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 FEB. 5 **Green,** John J. H. Baltimore, [Maryland]. To Crittenden. Suggests a convention of commissioners from each state to settle the difficulties of the nation. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 FEB. 5 **Clarke,** S. G. West Northwood, New Hampshire. To Crittenden. Approves course taken by Crittenden. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 FEB. 9 **Finnell,** John W. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Measures before the legislature; commissioners on the state of the country. A. L. S. 1 p.

1863 FEB. 10 **Porter,** F[itz] J[ohn]. New York. To Crittenden. Appreciates Crittenden's interest in his behalf; his court-martial. A. L. S. 6 p.

1863 FEB. 18 **Kendall,** Amos. [Washington, D. C.] To Crittenden. Desires a general circulation of Kendall's views; need of a convention to settle the national difficulties. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 FEB. 18 **Hieskell,** William B. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Opposes charges made against George E[dmond] Badger; Badger's health. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 FEB. 24 **Buell,** D[on] C[arlos]. To Crittenden. Recommends [W. R.] McFerran who will visit Washington; purposes of visit. Copy. 1 p.

1863 FEB. 25 **Myer,** A[lbert] J[ames]. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Urges passage of bill organizing Signal Corps of the army. A. L. S. 1 p.

1863 FEB. 27 **Schaumburg**, James W. Philadelphia. To Crittenden. Comment on national affairs. A. L. S. 5 p.

1863 MAR. 2 **Wayne**, James M. Washington, [D. C.] To Crittenden. Sends compliments and whiskey. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 MAR. 4 **Temple**, J[ohn] B. Frankfort, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Doubts integrity of Capt. Redmond of Indiana; reasons. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 MAR. 21 **Gillman**, Henry. Detroit, Michigan. To Crittenden. Approves Crittenden's course in national affairs. A. L. S. 3 p.

1863 MAR. 30 **Barnes**, Denis S. New York. To Crittenden. Organization of political party in New York; desires suggestions. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 APR. 1 **Hunton**, Logan. St. Louis, [Missouri]. To Crittenden. Personals; Crittenden should not retire from Congress; war the result of not following Crittenden's advice. A. L. S. 2 p.

1863 APR. 20 **Mallory**, R[obert]. Lagrange, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Gratified that Crittenden is to return to Congress; political campaign in the state; President Lincoln's administration. A. L. S. 6 p.

1863 APR. 23 **Bell**, Joshua F. Harrodsburg, [Kentucky]. To Crittenden. Intention to decline the gubernatorial nomination; desires that Crittenden will return to Congress. A. L. S. 3 p.

1863 MAY 1 **Johnson**, M[adison] C[onyers]. To R[ichard] A. Buckner. Transmits resolutions for Congress to give independence to Confederate states. A. L. S. 1 p. Endorsed by Crittenden complimenting Johnson and stating that Buckner declined to present the resolutions. Also resolutions. 2 p.

1863 MAY 4 **Carter**, T. Q. Elliston, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Thanking Crittenden for his pardon; cases of other federal prisoners in Kentucky. A. L. S. 2 p. Also, on same sheet, gratitude of Angelina Carter. A. L. S.

1863 MAY 11 **Scott County Union Party.** Georgetown, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Invitation to deliver political speech. A. L. S. by H. C. Groves, chairman.

1863 MAY 20 **Bodley**, Charles S. Lexington, Kentucky. To Crittenden. Thanking Crittenden for kindness and assurance of secrecy. A. L. S. 2 p.

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